



ROCK RIVER FLOOD CONTROL BODY FORMED

COUNCIL FOR SMALL FIRMS IS PROPOSED

Would Be Similar To Committee For Big Business

Washington, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Fred Roth, Cleveland, Ohio, wholesale shoe dealer and chairman of small business men, suggested today the creation of a permanent advisory committee to represent little business in the same manner the business advisory council represents large interests.

Roth, chosen permanent chairman of the conference in a session marked by applause, yells and roars of approval and disapproval, made the suggestion in a brief talk outlining some of the purposes of the meeting.

Soon after Roth finished his remarks, noisy protests against speech-making forced the conference to break up into 10 discussion groups within an hour after they met. This disarranged the conference program which would have delayed meeting of the smaller discussion groups until afternoon.

Roth spoke after the conference had received word from President Roosevelt that he expected "the suggestions resulting from your conference will be very helpful to me."

"I am hopeful," Roth said, "that out of this meeting some permanent organization can be formed similar to that of big business, which might act in an advisory capacity to the department of commerce."

Roth also moved to identify the interest of all business both big and small, saying "the troubles which afflict small business today are not different in substance from those of big business."

Long before the first session of the conference opened dozens of the businessmen filled the lobby of the commerce department building, registered as rapidly as they could and filed into the department's auditorium.

In registering they filled out cards setting forth their names, names of concerns they represented, home addresses, products handled and Washington addresses.

At the registration tables they received copies of the program for the two days of meeting. This showed that the committee to see the President would call at the White House at 2:30 P. M. C. S. T. tomorrow.

Gives President's Welcome

The president's welcome to the hundreds of merchants, small manufacturers, and other business men was presented by Secretary of Commerce Roger in a speech delivered at the first session.

Shortly before Roper spoke, Ernest G. Draper, assistant commerce secretary, said Fred Roth, president of the Whitney Roth Shoe Company, Cleveland, Ohio, would serve as chairman of the meeting.

Preceding the conference, many

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Candidate



STERLING D. SCHROCK

Popular Lee county clerk, who today announced his candidacy for re-election to that office, after many of his friends had circulated petitions throughout the county.

"Ole," as he is known to his host of friends throughout the county, is completing a very successful term as county clerk. His pleasing personality and obliging service to the residents of the county have won him a wide acquaintance.

He became one of the Republican candidates for the county clerkship in 1934 and was elected by a large majority. "Ole" has been prominent in many circles, at present serving as general chairman of the Sons of the American Legion activities committee of Dixon Post, No. 12 American Legion, of which he is a member. He is also serving as secretary-treasurer of the Lee County Supervisors and County Officials Association, to which office he was elected last November.

The office he now holds and to which he seeks to be returned for another term, is one of great importance, and during his term as county clerk, he has proven his efficiency and capability to fulfill the duties of the office.

BRITONS DEMAND PIRACY PATROL STOP SINKINGS

Stirred To Action By Torpedoing of Freighter

London, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Britain today called for rigid enforcement of the three-power Mediterranean warship patrol to put down what Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden called a "revival of piracy" arising from Spain's civil war.

Eden called on France and Italy, sharing with Britain the patrol set up by the Nyon accord of last fall, to join in direct action against the recurring submarine menace, but the House of Commons discussed Spanish government charges that Italy herself was responsible for the latest sinking.

Eden told the House Britain already had acted to strengthen the patrol—spurred by the sinking of the British freighter Endymion by an unidentified submarine off Cartagena, Spain, Sunday with the loss of 10 lives.

He said he had definite proposals to put before the ambassadors of France and Italy, whom he summoned to conference on means of meeting the new submarine danger.

The situation was complicated by charges of the Spanish government that Italy had placed four destroyers and two submarines at the disposal of the Spanish insurgent navy, and that it was an Italian vessel that sank the Endymion.

French Given Proposal
Eden's proposals were laid before Charles Corbin, French ambassador, and Count Dino Grandi, Italian ambassador, when they met

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CHINESE RUSH FRESH TROOPS TO HOLD POSTS

Ordered To Yield Not An Inch In Corridor

Shanghai, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Chinese reinforcements moved forward by the thousands under heavy shellfire today to plug a widening gap in southern defenses of China's lifeline corridor.

The long-awaited major engagement of the Tsinpu battlefield north of Nanking apparently was beginning.

An estimated half million Chinese and Japanese troops have been massed for the struggle over the corridor, where Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek has urged his warriors to yield not a single inch.

Domestic (Japanese news agency) correspondents with the Japanese column moving north from Nanking reported it had occupied Pengpu, southern keystone of Chinese positions along the Tientsin-Pukow railway.

The advance was made under heavy artillery and aerial bombardment after occupation of Fengyang, 16 miles east and south of Pengpu, the dispatches said.

Before the new advance, Japanese had captured the town of Linhaiwan and Mingkwang on their northward march.

Both Suffer Heavily

From Chinese reports it appeared that both sides suffered heavy losses before Mingkwang fell into Japanese hands. The Chinese said their casualties there were 2,000 and asserted Japanese had suffered as many.

Both Chinese and Japanese sent word of new fighting in North China. Chinese said guerrilla detachments continued to attack isolated Japanese detachments in Hopeh province, where Peiping, Tientsin and the main railroads are in Japanese hands.

After a long period of inactivity, Japanese forces moving southward on the Peiping-Hankow railroad launched an attack in northern Honan province under cover of a heavy aerial bombardment. Chinese asserted the attack had been repulsed.

One governmental problem of North China was settled, the Japanese embassy announced, with consolidation of the Japanese-sponsored North China provisional government and the East Hopeh autonomous regime.

Foreign Minister Koki Hirota told the Japanese diet it was necessary to conclude a three party anti-communist pact with Manchukuo and the new North China government, both of which function under Japanese sponsorship. The pact would be similar to that which links Japan with Germany and Italy.

France Considers Laying Down Six 35,000 Warships

Paris, Feb. 2.—(AP)—A proposal for France to lay down six 35,000-ton battleships within the next three years will be presented to the cabinet tomorrow by Naval Minister William Bertrand, a member of his staff said today.

The minister will ask the cabinet to approve a request to parliament to vote a billion francs (about \$333,000,000) immediately and a billion francs each year for six years, earmarked for construction of battleships outside the usual navy appropriations.

The staff informant said Bertrand had conferred with Premier Camille Chautemps regarding his plans.

Uses Red Stripes For Punishments

Santa Ana, Calif., Feb. 2.—(AP)—Four-inch red stripes on automobiles mean something in Orange county.

They are Superior Judge James L. Allen's idea for punishing reckless drivers.

Judge Allen started the plan last November.

Since then he has pronounced the sentence as a probation requirement in many cases of drunk or hit-and-run driving.

Probationers are forbidden to park within 300 feet of any place where liquor is sold.

Judge Allen expressed gratification over the success of his plan and added:

"If they are ashamed to drive their conspicuous machines, they can stay home."

Prosecutors Attempt to Blast Wright's Account Of the Fantastic Tragedy

Defendant's Version Of Killing Is On Court Records

Los Angeles, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Paul A. Wright was subjected to searching cross-examination today as prosecutors tried to blast his story he killed his wife and his business associate, John Kimmel, because he found them in "awful positions".

Chief Prosecutor S. E. Roll tried to ferret from the airport executive's story, related in direct examination, a loophole to fortify the state's charge of deliberate murder.

Wright's version of the fantastic tragedy was in the court records. He said he took Kimmel, his operations manager at Union air terminal, to his Glendale home for a nightcap. They had a round of drinks. Wright, weary, retired for a nap. He was awakened by a "noise" from the piano.

"I walked to the doorway separating the bedroom from the living room. I didn't see Evelyn, but I saw Johnny sitting on the bench before the grand piano. I thought she might be on the davenport or in the kitchen. I walked toward the kitchen, turned, and turned again.

Told of Kiss
"Then I saw Evelyn on the piano bench with Johnny. x x x They were in awful positions. Then Evelyn rose to a sitting position. She put her arms around Kimmel. He put his arms around her. They kissed."

"Then everything inside me just exploded. The next thing I knew I was standing there with a gun in my hand. There was blood, and he was moaning."

The prosecution sought to show bitter feelings between Wright and his wife as it struck back today through cross-examination.

"Do you recall, on or about July 20, 1937," Prosecutor E. S. Roll began, "an argument you had with your wife in which you said, among other things, 'you are a h—l of an excuse for a wife—absolutely no helpmate—and a rotten mother'?"

Wright suddenly sat forward in the witness chair, his eyes blazing, and demanded:

"Will you repeat that?"
"Sure, I will," said Roll, and the question was read by the court reporter. Wright settled back and, calmly but emphatically, replied:

"No, sir, I did not!"

Pensions For World War Widows, Orphans

Washington, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Widows and dependent orphans of World War veterans would get pensions under legislation which has won approval of the House pensions committee.

The cost was estimated by committee men at \$68,000,000 a year. The bill would affect 188,000 families.

Widows would get \$22 a month and dependent orphans \$6 if the deceased veterans had served 90 days and had been discharged honorably.

Sterling Game Warden Let Out

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 2.—(AP)—Thomas J. Lynch, acting director of conservation, said today that in a "general reorganization of the department" Jacob Franks of Sterling had been dismissed as state game warden for Whiteside county.

Lynch said three applications for the position had been made and that an appointment would be made in a few days.

"We are insisting that the men remain active and produce for the department," Lynch said in discussing the reorganization.



WEDNESDAY, FEB. 2, 1938 (By The Associated Press)

For Chicago and vicinity: Cloudy tonight and Thursday, probably occasional rain; somewhat colder Thursday; lowest temperature tonight about 32; fresh winds, mostly south to southwest.

Illinois: Cloudy tonight and Thursday, probably some rain or snow in central and north portions; somewhat colder Thursday.

Wisconsin: Probably occasional snow tonight and Thursday, except rain or snow in extreme south portion; no decided change in temperature.

Iowa: Mostly cloudy tonight and Thursday, probably some rain or snow in northeast portion; colder Thursday and in extreme west tonight.

Thursday—Sun rises at 7:12; sets at 5:17.

Groundhog

Old "Bad News" Failed to See Shadow Here Today

The groundhog, if he knew of the tradition concerning his species, and if he ventured out in northern Illinois today, didn't see his shadow, and accordingly is supposed to stay out—thus assuring the community an early spring.

And by the same token when rain started to fall at the noon hour bringing added threats to the residents of the ice-clogged Rock river, hundreds wished he'd never even awakened to learn if today was Groundhog Day.

"MATTER OF GARLIC"

Gobbler's Knob, Punxsutawney, Pa., Feb. 2.—(AP)—The seer of Gobbler's Knob made his 41st appearance today, felt the nip of cold air on his nose and colder snow on his toes, and retreated to the comfort of his burrow in these western Pennsylvania hills.

He saw his shadow and that, say followers of the Gobbler's Knob groundhog, means six more weeks of winter.

Across the state, where the members of slumbering groundhog lodge of Quarryville continued their ritual through the day, the claim of the Gobbler's Knob seer to the title "nation's weather-works" is disputed.

At the crack of dawn the "faithful" of the Quarryville lodge gathered in traditional garb at the hole of their "official" woodchuck—labeled "Pretender" by supporters of the Gobbler's Knob seer. The result will be announced tonight.

Meantime, at Philadelphia, Dr. J. P. Moore, professor of zoology at the University of Pennsylvania, doubted the groundhog legend, which originated with early settlers.

He discounted it all as merely a matter of "garlic."

"It's one of the earliest greens that the groundhog often comes up this early to find out how the crop is coming along," he said and, to prove his theory, told how he had caught woodchucks at his country home and pumped their stomachs.

HASTE MADE WASTE

Belvidere, Ill., Feb. 2.—(AP)—At least one groundhog didn't have a chance to see his shadow today. He emerged from his hole a day in advance yesterday and was killed by a dog owned by farmer Elmer Bates. The groundhog weighed 15 pounds.

Special Session Of Ashton Farm School To Be Friday Night

The next meeting of the Ashton adult farmers' evening school will be held on Friday, Feb. 4. A. L. Lang of the University of Illinois will discuss the results obtained on the Dixon Soil Experiment Field. Mr. Lang should have a very interesting and instructive message and it is hoped that a good attendance will be present for this special meeting. On Monday evening, Feb. 7, the regular meeting will be held and the group will be concerned with a discussion of foreign imported alfalfa and red clover seed.

General Idea

Harrisburg, Ill., Feb. 2.—(AP)—Radio experts examined Mrs. W. I. Reynolds' laundry stove and decided today they know why it plays swing music and other tunes.

It's apparently radio music, and is most audible at night, Mrs. Reynolds has no radio. The technicians, Alfred Summers and K. E. Schenert, gave this solution: the burning coal forms clinkers which contain a mineral which contacts the grates and picks up radio music. There's more to it, but that's the general idea.

Anyhow, the stove makes music.

RED TAPE OF GOVERNMENT IS CONDEMNED

Commission Organized by City Officials This Morning

Officials of cities, towns and villages along Rock river from Erie to Rockford perfected a permanent organization known as the Rock River Flood Control commission today at a meeting called by Mayor Willard Long of Sterling, in that city. Manufacturers, park board members and representatives of several communities attended the meeting and voiced their opinions relating to flood conditions in Rock river.

Mayor George Brydia of Prophetstown suggested a request for an appropriation of \$1,500,000 by the war department at Washington, D. C., to carry on a program of removing obstructions in Rock river at once. Delay caused by war department rulings, requiring permission from Washington before the Rock Island district office may take action in case of emergency, was roundly condemned by the officials and representatives attending the meeting.

Officers Chosen

Officers elected at today's meeting at Sterling were as follows: President—Mayor Willard Long, Sterling.

Vice-president—Mayor George S. Brydia, Prophetstown.

Secretary-treasurer—Dana P. Munn, Sterling.

Directors—Willard Long, Sterling; George S. Brydia, Prophetstown; Dana P. Munn, Sterling; William V. Slothower, Dixon; Charles F. Brown, Rockford; F. F. Rogers, Oregon; Paul Carlson, Erie and George B. Fiehrer, Dixon.

It was decided by the officers that cities, towns and villages along Rock river having members in the organization, subscribe one dollar per thousand population, or a maximum membership fee of \$25.

Localities represented at the meeting were: Erie, Prophetstown, Lyndon, Rock Falls, Sterling and Dixon. From this city Mayor William V. Slothower and Senator George C. Dixon were in attendance.

Representatives from each community voiced their opinions of the flood situation which has caused heavy damage between Rockford and Erie, and it was decided to seek to interest boards of supervisors and Farm Bureau organizations of the counties bordering the stream, in an effort to obtain immediate flood relief from the state and federal governments.

The Register

Present at the meeting were the following: Mayor Willard Long, Sterling; Robert Brown, chairman of the Whiteside county board of supervisors; Supervisors W. R. Hendrix and W. A. Stoeckle, Sterling; W. A. Krohn, member of the Sterling city council; Paul W. Dillon, president of the Northwestern Wire company, Sterling; H. H. Wood, Eureka Manufacturing company, Rock Falls; T. F. Larkin, superintendent Illinois Northern Utilities company, Sterling; E. McDonald, Illinois Water Service, Sterling; A. G. Hubbard, city engineer, Sterling; A. N. Bradford, general manager and W. F. Hostetter, Russell, Birdsall, Ward Co., Sterling; John Platt, president of the park commission, Sterling; Mayor George Brydia, Prophetstown; Mayor David Guthrie, Erie; Mayor William V. Slothower and Senator George C. Dixon, Dixon; Mayor P. T. Rogers, Oregon; Cecil J. McLean, engineer, I. N. U. Co., Dixon. Mayor Charles F. Brown of Rockford was unable to attend the meeting.

In calling the meeting, Mayor Long stated that lack of authority in the Rock Island offices of the war department to render relief in an emergency, without authorization from Washington, was largely responsible for the flood situation, and added, that if timely relief had been rendered the present situation would not exist. He then called upon the other representatives present to voice their opinions. These were as follows:

Slothower Spoke

Mayor William V. Slothower, Dixon: "Calling of this gathering and perfecting a permanent organization, is, I believe, a step in the right direction. Lack of authority in the Rock Island district offices without first consulting the war department at Washington, has doubtless caused considerable delay in taking action in this emergency."

Mayor G. S. Brydia, Prophetstown: "I spent all of Tuesday night trying to obtain relief and finally two life boats and two men were sent to our community to rescue about 15 families. As a solution to the condition of Rock river I am

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Washington—Barring some unforeseen emergency, the President will take his usual mid-winter fishing vacation this month.

Nothing has yet been said about it publicly, but the tip-off on his plan was the little announcement that Jimmy, his son and secretary, would participate in the Marines' war-game maneuvers in the Caribbean next week. Jimmy holds a reserve commission as lieutenant colonel in the marine corps.

With the national defense message out of the way and only one or two more business conferences scheduled, the President is about caught up with his current plans and feels he is in a position to take a couple of weeks off from the official grind.

Preparations for the trip were begun very quietly several days ago, but in keeping with the customary secret service policy no information will be released until the President is about ready to depart.

Unbashful Brain Truster

Adolf Berle, original brain trust and great believer in his own destiny, was telling friends of the offer he had received from Cordell Hull to become assistant secretary of state.

"They want me to come down and prevent the world from massacring a lot of women and children," opined Berle. "I don't want to go but I suppose someone has got to save them."

Berle Boycott

While Berle was debating whether or not he would accept the job, newspapermen covering the state department had declared a boycott against him if he were placed in charge of press relations, as Secretary Hull has intended.

Worried, Berle appealed to an executive of a newspaper in New York to telephone his Washington bureau and ascertain how serious was the boycott.

The report relayed back to Berle in New York was that he was about as popular with the newspapermen, whose opinions he was expected to

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NO EVIDENCE OF SEINING IN THE RIVER IS FOUND

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 2.—(AP)—Thomas J. Lynch, acting director of conservation, said today he had found no evidence of illegal seining in the Illinois river at present and that the only seining under ice this season was that authorized by him for the protection of game fish.

Lynch's statement and another by J. R. Saylor, president of the Peoria County Conservation club, were in reply to reports that a commercial fisherman at Peoria had been favored with permission to place seines under the ice, contrary to the state fish code. Lynch said protective seining was authorized under the law.

Lynch, who was sent to Peoria to look into the reports, said he had not concluded his investigation of the specific charge made by commercial fishermen that one of their number, Ross Dixon, had been allowed to seine under ice for two weeks prior to the date when other fishermen were notified.

Release Orders Entered For 41 Prison Inmates

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 2.—(AP)—Release orders were entered by the parole board today for 41 inmates of state penitentiaries and the St. Charles school for boys, 18 of whom are from Cook county.

Twenty-five of the inmates, whose cases appeared on the January docket, are in Pontiac penitentiary, five in Menard, three in Joliet, nine in Stateville and two in St. Charles. Montell Payne of Fayette county and Luther Owens of McLean county, were ordered released from Pontiac to be placed in custody of Federal authorities. George W. Dorr and Saul Taylor of Cook county, were ordered released from Stateville, to be turned over to deportation authorities.

None of the prisoners ordered released were from Lee or adjoining counties.

Dixon Woman Dies At Local Hospital

Mrs. Wallace Nicholas passed away at the Katherine Shaw Beha hospital yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock following an illness of long duration. She is survived by her husband, one daughter, Mrs. Celeste McNinch of Dixon, two grandsons, one granddaughter and one great-grandson. Funeral services will be held at St. Patrick's Catholic church Thursday morning at 9:30. Rev. Fr. J. J. Burke officiating and with interment in Oakwood.

BRITISH VITAL PROBLEM FOOD, PEACE OR WAR

Imports Flood London From Four Corners of World

Bombs, bullets, and battleships! As 1938 opens to the worldwide anvil chorus of munitions manufacture, England faces not only an estimated armaments bill of a billion and a half dollars for the coming year, but the less belligerent in sound, but equally vital problem of food. For the island Kingdom is dependent upon overseas imports for the major share of her provisions. In peace or war, sea lanes must be kept clear to feed her floating millions.

"At London docks, the world's ships unload a never-ending stream of foodstuffs, ranging from Australian mutton to Jamaican bananas, from Persian dates to Brazilian coffee," says a bulletin from the Washington, D. C., headquarters of the National Geographic Society.

Facilities for Every Kind of Food
"Here are facilities in cellars, sheds, caves, and warehouses to swallow a million tons of goods at one time. As custodians of this huge larder, the Port of London Authority not only acts as middle-man, weighing, grading, and sorting various commodities, but maintains in the interests of sanitation and quality a busy corps of inspectors, laboratory men, and experts in various lines."

"There are specially-constructed cranes and mechanical carriers for handling unwieldy or odd-shaped packages, giant chutes for flowing rivers of grain, refrigerating plants, and underground vaults for wine whose temperature is carefully regulated to preserve rare and precious vintages from distant lands."

Wheat from Five Continents
"In warehouses exuding the faint, sweetish odor of an old apothecary shop are stored spices from Ceylon, the East Indies and Malaya. Here comes bales of cinnamon in the form of 'quills' resembling dried sticks, and nutmegs packed in regulation-sized containers labeled 'Singapore boxes,' and literally tons of pepper. London Dock alone handles a thousand tons of pepper annually (a lot of sneezes in any country)."

"To satisfy carnivorous Englishmen, 70 per cent of the country's meat imports, (representing some 700,000 tons) are landed at London each year. Much of this meat supply is sold to London retail butchers, for England's capital offers Customer - Market - Number-One right on the doorstep. The rest is shipped direct from refrigerated vessels to all parts of the Kingdom, or, if not needed immediately, is put away in the docks' cold storage."

"To provide another prime staple in diet — bread — England buys wheat from five continents, with Canada, Australia and Argentina, chief contributors. In one recent year imported grains, including barley, oats, corn and beans, totaled more than two million tons, of which nearly a million and a half were of wheat. Presented with such astronomical figures, you realize how London has grown and how England's food demands have increased. Only a couple of centuries ago, wheat (which, along with other small grains, the English call 'corn') was imported into England in almost negligible quantities; time was when small grains were actually the island's leading export. Among the more amusing laws to regulate the handling of 'corn' in those earlier days was one passed during the reign of Queen Elizabeth. It decreed in apparent discrimination against young bachelors, that corn 'badgers,' or dealers, must be householders, not under 30 years of age, and either married or widowers!"

"Although a lavish buyer now of the world's farm products, John Bull naturally favors trade with his own Dominions and Colonies, and has nursed to maturity many a once infant-commodity business in some distant part of the Empire. In 1880 London welcomed the first shipment of frozen meat from Australia. Later, at a cost of a million and a half dollars, the Port Authority built a sorting warehouse and cold-storage plant designed especially for the Australian and New Zealand meat trade. Today the port reaps the benefits, as capacious 'holds' of snub-nosed British merchant ships discharge a steady flood of such varied items as butter, cheese, and apples of New Zealand; rum and sugar from Barbados; grapefruit and molasses from the West Indies; onions from Egypt; coffee from Kenya; tea, pineapples, cocoa, coconuts, from

India and the Straits Settlements. "Labeled with the strange characters of foreign tongues come also consignments postmarked anywhere from Kirghiz of Soviet Russia to Pernambuco, Brazil. There are Argentine beefsteaks, Greek currants; and fresh fruit and vegetables, brandies and wines, from France, Spain and Portugal. Italy offers olive oil and canned goods, and from North American ports still more canned goods, fruit, fish, and grain. From China and Japan, among other shipments, come soy beans and rice—and of course tea by the shipload; for tea has played an important part in the story of England's sea-borne trade, from sail to steam, over a period of nearly 300 years."

Just listing the possibilities on the shelves of London's pantry amply demonstrates that the English housewife, with cash and courage to try new recipes, is not likely to hear the old family complaint, "What! corned beef and cabbage again!"

"There are even exotic delicacies for the animal and bird residents of the London Zoo, as well as for individual pets. These include imports of ants' eggs shipped from Baltic ports for the delight of parlor goldfish, and dried fleas from Mexican swamplands, which, mixed with seeds, provide food for cage birds."

Forest fires burned more than 52,000,000 acres in the United States in 1930. This is an area larger than that of the combined states of Indiana and Ohio.

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influence, as the anti-labor bill is with southern senators.

Poor Pay—Poor Diplomats

Tension in U. S. foreign relations brings into focus again the sometimes dubious quality of U. S. diplomats, and the fact that if you want good diplomats you have to pay them.

No country comparable in size or wealth with the United States pays its diplomats so little. The salary of an ambassador is \$17,500. In addition he gets his house rent free, and a "representation allowance" for entertainment. This allowance varies with the post, the maximum being \$4,800 at London and Paris. It is not paid to the ambassador but to the embassy, against vouchers showing actual expense, and if the expense is less the full amount is not paid.

By contrast, the British Ambassador to Washington gets about \$80,000, including both salary and entertainment allowance. The Brazilian Ambassador is paid \$84,000. The French Ambassador gets 1,000,000 francs, which now is about \$33,000.

U. S. Ministers are paid only

\$10,000, though entertainment alone sometimes costs them that much.

Result: only wealthy men can become U. S. diplomats, and wealth doesn't necessarily mean ability.

Little Business Man

Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau and SEC Chairman Douglas are working out the details of a plan — to be sent to Congress shortly with White House blessing — that really will do something for the little business man.

The proposal will meet one of the most urgent needs of the present economic situation — that of supplying "little fellows" with long-term credit.

With business in the doldrums, banks are leery about such loans, and there isn't enough in a stock issue of ten to a hundred thousand dollars to interest investment houses. As a result, small businessmen have complained to the President and Secretary Roper that literally they are being starved to death through lack of a low interest-rate money market.

The Morgenthau-Douglas plan is aimed at filling this urgent want through a new government corporation which should issue debentures up to \$500,000 at a charge of not over 3 per cent.

The Reconstruction Finance Corporation had authority to make commercial loans, but this power has expired. Also, the loans were limited to short-term credits and were hedged around by many restrictive conditions. The new proposal not only would re-establish these credits, but go a step further

and provide long-term financing as well.

Morgenthau and Douglas plan to set up a Little Business Credit Corporation as a part of the Federal Reserve Board, which has the power under certain conditions to extend short-term loans. The new corporation would be modeled after the limited - dividend mortgage corporations authorized by the new Housing Act to finance low-cost apartment projects.

Roosevelt's Economic Adviser

The bright young man whose name has been in the papers recently as economic adviser to the White House was nicknamed "Dub" when he was in college.

His real name is Leon Henderson, but at Swarthmore College, where he was an expert basketball player, not an expert student, no one called him Leon. The sobriquet "Dub" was universal.

Henderson came from a poor farm home on the outskirts of Millville, N. J., and worked his way through college as a table-waiter and odd-jobber. A careless dresser with no money to spare, he was passed up by the fraternities until his senior year.

Finally they discovered that though Dub Henderson's ballroom technique left much to be desired, he was a man of ideas, and he came back to his alma mater as a professor of economics.

His rise in New Deal circles dates from the time he came to Washington in the early days of the Blue Eagle and told General Johnson, in cavalry language, that

his NRA needed a drastic overhauling.

Johnson liked the dressing down he got from Henderson and hired him on the spot. In a year's time, he was a member of the NRA board making \$12,000 a year.

Merry-Go-Round

State Department officials are divided about releasing to the press U. S. notes of protest to Japan. The notes recount acts of atrocity by Japanese troops which it is feared will incite public opinion here . . . Brazilian highway pioneers, who took nine years to cover the unexplored route from Rio to Washington overland, are cooling their heels here hoping the Brazilian Government will send them travel money to get home again . . . Zoo Director William Mann says the strongest odor ever created at the Washington Zoo was that thrown off by Secretary Stimson's goat . . . All leaves have been canceled for the corps of workers editing the unemployment census. Only the preliminary report has been made. They are still working three eight-hour shifts. (Copyright, 1938, by United Feature Syndicate, Inc.)

BUILDING SHOWS GAINS

Awards for heavy engineering construction made last week amounted to \$47,669,000, a gain of 12 per cent from the preceding week and up 9 per cent from the corresponding 1937 week. Of this total, privately - financed work amounted to \$24,182,000, up 53 per cent for the week and 58 per cent from a year ago.—Barrons.

YEARS AGO

Outstanding News of Dixon and Vicinity in the Past

From The Dixon Telegraph
50 YEARS AGO

Oliver Wagner, another old settler of Dixon, died this morning at his home on Ottawa street. We are pleased to note that the winter term of the Dixon college has opened with its rooms all full and classes overflowing.

Several residents of Pine Creek township are not expected to live and one death has occurred from the drinking of a liquor sold to farmers by a Chicago salesman recently.

25 YEARS AGO

Farmers near Amboy form a club and unite in movement to secure a soil doctor for Lee county.

The board of local improvements announces paying program will be carried out this summer, the only change being the use of sand instead of asphalt filler in Commercial alley.

10 YEARS AGO

Lee county authorities are seeking source of poison liquor which is reported to have caused one death.

Otto A. Glessner, formerly of Eldena and well known throughout Lee county passed away in Chicago this morning.

BUSINESS OUTLOOK

The general business outlook is much improved, particularly in those lines which will benefit from the expenditures for national defense, according to the monthly survey of business conditions in the February issue of Banking, the official publication of the American Bankers Association. "The country's great need at present," the publication says, "is an old-fashioned era of good feeling between business, labor, and government, founded on real understanding."—New York Times.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY

A successful European business, being introduced to America for the first time, offers opportunity for profits of 50% and more per year to those entering the business right now. New locations begin to show substantial profits quickly. Cost of entering this business is only \$250.00 and your time is not required to operate it.

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Society News

CALENDAR

Wednesday
Women's Relief Corps relief committee—Mrs. H. F. Ware.
Music committee of Dixon Women's club—Mrs. I. B. Potter.
St. Anne's Church Guild—At the rectory.
Wawokye club—Mrs. Minnie Wilson.
Ideal club—Mrs. Emma Kested.
South Central P-T. A.—At the school.
Reading club—Mrs. Wilson Dy-sart.

Thursday
Women's Missionary Society of the Kingdom—Mrs. George Floto.
Second concert of Dixon association—At Methodist church.
King's Daughters' Sunday school class—Mrs. Ida Smith.
St. James Aid society—Mrs. Clarence Bovey.
Unity Guild—Mrs. Charles Her-ric.
Wa-Tan-Ye club—Lucille Poole, president.
E. R. B. class of St. Paul's Lutheran Bible school—At the church.
W. M. S. of Christian church—Mrs. Harry Stauffer.
Methodist W. F. M. S.—Mrs. Henry Ahrens.

Friday
Stony Point P-T. A.—At Stony Point school.
Women's Relief Corps card party—G. A. R. hall.
Book review by Mrs. H. A. White—Music room of the Dixon high school.
Card party—G. A. R. hall.
Nachusa P-T. A.—At the school.
Annual play—Nachusa church.
St. Agnes Guild—Mrs. Theo. Fuller.
American War Mothers—Mrs. Lee Eastman.
Stony Point P. T. A.—School.

Phidian Art Club Reviews Growth Of Art Of Painting

The Phidian Art club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. I. B. Potter. After the usual order of business, an interesting paper on "Nineteenth Century Painters" was read by Miss Josephine Nichols.
In her usual charming manner Miss Nichols discussed the development of the art of painting as exemplified by the artists of the nineteenth century both in Europe and America. Her talk was illustrated by prints from the loan exhibit of the Art Institute of Chicago.
The copies shown were examples of the work of some twenty landscape and portrait painters including the well-known names of George Innes, Winslow Homer, James McNeil Whistler, William Chase and John Singer Sargent.
During the social hour which followed the program, Mrs. Harry Edwards and Mrs. H. U. Bardwell poured at a very attractive table decorated in flags and flowers of patriotic colors.

PICNIC SUPPER FRIDAY EVENING
The Prairieville P. T. A. will hold its February meeting on this Friday evening at the school. There will be a picnic supper before the program. A fine program is being planned. The school children will sing several numbers and John Honeys, the music director, will sing several vocal solos. The Northern Utility Company will present moving pictures of Illinois accompanied by a lecture. The public is invited. Supper will be served at 7 P. M.

AMERICAN WAR MOTHERS WILL MEET ON FRIDAY
The American War Mothers will meet with Mrs. Lee Eastman, 315 E. Second street, Friday at 2:30 P. M.

Weak After A Cold?

Minneapolis, Minn.—Mrs. Mary Bloomquist, 812 1/2 7th Ave. S., says: "Whenever the children suffered from colds I always gave them Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It seemed to make them eat better and thus built them up quickly. I have used Golden Medical Discovery myself and it proved to be excellent as a tonic." Buy Golden Medical Discovery in liquid or tablet form from your druggist today.

Silver Wedding Celebrated By Harmon Couple

Friends and relatives gathered Saturday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Zentz of near Harmon to help them celebrate their silver wedding anniversary.
The evening was spent playing Miss Ruth Zentz and Howard cards and buncos. Grace Liewan, Zentz were the lucky winners. After the card games, delicious refreshments were served. Mrs. Glenn Zentz of Rock Falls brought a beautiful wedding cake. Mr. and Mrs. Zentz received much silverware and other presents. Those attending to wish the couple many more years of happiness were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Liewan, daughters Grace and Mary Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Zentz, sons Rolfe and Howard, Miss Ruth Zentz, Elwin Heilrich, LeRoy Zentz, Mrs. Walter Riley, son Charles, daughters Lillie and Madeline, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Zentz, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kessel, son James Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stout, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Enbom, daughter Armeta.

Surprise Party Given In Honor Of Mrs. Nehring

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Wernick entertained a group of friends Friday evening at a surprise party in honor of Mrs. Henry Nehring, one of their co-workers who has resigned her position.
Bingo and "500" were enjoyed. Delicious refreshments were served after which Mrs. Sondagroth presented Mrs. Nehring with a beautiful candlewick bedspread in behalf of those present.
At the party were Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Sondagroth and son Junior; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Williams, Miss Delores Heckman and Joe Curlee, Miss Lucille Haenitsch and Harold Black and Mrs. Eleanor Walker and Mrs. Henry Nehring. All departed at a late hour having spent a very delightful evening.

D. A. R. LUNCHEON AT HOTEL NACHUSA
The annual luncheon of the D. A. R. will be held at 1 P. M. Saturday, February 5, at the Hotel Nachusa.

It will be guest day and reservations must be made by early Friday morning. Mrs. J. S. Harvey should be called at W639 for reservations. Members are reminded to bring books for the approval school book shower.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN'S AUXILIARY MET LAST EVE
The Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church met with Mrs. Herbert J. Doran Tuesday evening, and following the business session tasty refreshments were served by the hostesses—Mrs. Doran, Miss Grace Crawford, Miss Jean Hitchcock, Miss Elizabeth Buckaloof, Mrs. Morey Pires and Mrs. Donald Raymond.

STONY POINT P. T. A. MEETS FRIDAY EVENING
The February meeting of the Stony Point school Parent Teachers association will be held at the school Friday evening at 7:30. Rev. William Thompson, pastor of the Church of the Brethren of this city, will deliver a patriotic address.

METHODIST CHURCH W. F. M. S. WILL MEET
The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Henry Ahrens, 216 Third street. Members will be asked to repeat their favorite passages of scripture.

E. R. B. CLASS TO HAVE VALENTINE MEETING THURSDAY
The E. R. B. class of St. Paul's Lutheran Bible school members are requested to bring a valentine to the meeting Thursday evening.

DINNER GUESTS
Mrs. Nellie Van Inwegen entertained six guests at dinner last evening at the Hotel Nachusa.

Sings Here



Gina Vanna, Soprano

Miss Vanna, who sings in tomorrow's concert of the Dixon Concert Association, is one of America's outstanding young artists. She made her debut as a girl of nineteen with the Chicago Grand Opera Company and since then has starred in operatic roles with Martinelli and Tibbett. Possessing a lovely soprano voice of rich quality and a pleasing personality, Miss Vanna has won the hearts of her audiences wherever she has appeared.

Appearing tomorrow night with Miss Vanna is Ennio Bolognini, cellist, popular radio and concert star. Mr. Bolognini is a cellist of distinction who has appeared in concerts both as an individual artist and as an accompanying artist for orchestras in many of the nation's great cities. He is now a featured artist of the Columbia Broadcasting Company.

The concert will be held in the Methodist church and will begin promptly at 8:00 P. M.

Swastika Class Enjoys Games At January Meeting

The Swastika class of the First Methodist Episcopal church held its monthly meeting Monday evening, January 31, at the home of Mrs. Jack Hayden with ten members and one guest present.
Bunco was played with Mrs. Robert Bollman winning first prize and LaVerne Tucker, consolation prize. A short business meeting was held, the ordering of class pins discussed and the minutes of the last two meetings read.

Following the serving of delicious refreshments by the hostesses, Mrs. Jack Hayden and Miss Margaret Moore, some beautifully wrapped gifts were placed before Miss LaVerne Tucker, a bride of the near future and many expressions of delight were accorded the bride as Miss Tucker unwrapped these gifts and read the inscriptions tucked within.

The guests departed for their homes at a late hour wishing the bride to be much happiness and thanking their hostess for a lovely evening.

ST. AGNES GUILD WILL MEET FRIDAY
St. Agnes Guild of St. Luke's Episcopal church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon with Mrs. Theodore Fuller.

NO PROSECUTION
Galena, Ill.—(AP)—When Sheriff Bruce Stewart phoned a Jo Daviess county farmer and told him "we've caught the boy who has been stealing your chickens," the farmer hurried to town to sign a complaint. There he viewed the prisoner and discovered the boy was his son. Sheriff Stewart said there would be no prosecution.

AMBOY NEWS

Amboy, Feb. 2.—The forestry demonstration planned for a meeting of the Lee County Farm Bureau on Feb. 4 has been cancelled because of the illness of J. E. Davis of the University of Illinois who was scheduled as the speaker. Another meeting is planned for Feb. 18 when Mr. Culver who is assistant forester at the university will conduct the meeting.
Ray Leake and Bob Leake, students at the University of Illinois, are spending their vacation with their parents.
Miss Ethel Donnelly spent Sunday in Dixon.
Mrs. Paul Bodmer of Compton spent Tuesday in Amboy.
Miss Maxine Leake is confined to her home with an infection in her foot.
Mrs. Minnie Noble of Walnut is a medical patient at the Amboy hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. K. S. McKinnon will leave Friday for Fort Lauderdale, Fla., where they will spend a month. Mrs. J. C. McKinnon will return with them.
L. S. Griffith spent today in West Brooklyn on business.
A car driven by Frank Berry collided with an automobile driven by Gordon Lovett yesterday morning about 3 miles east of town where the Lee Center road meets route 52. Both cars were damaged slightly.
Miss Rosemary Hammond of DePaul University at Chicago is here for her vacation.
A. W. Long of Sublette was a business caller here yesterday.
Mrs. Fanny Mallen of Chicago spent last week here with relatives.

Miss Catherine Douvier returned to work today after having been confined to her home with illness.
Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Nowe returned yesterday from a trip in the west.
A group of about 12 men from Peoria visited the cold storage plant here yesterday.
Amboy high school's basketball team will play Mt. Morris here on Friday.

L. L. Brink drove to Champaign this morning to get his son Leroy, Jr., who has finished his course at the University of Illinois. Young Brink expects to return to Champaign in June for the graduation exercises.
Amboy—Mrs. E. Anderson went to Morrison Saturday to spend the week.
Allen Douvier spent yesterday in Harmon on business.
L. S. Griffith, Dave Weigel, Jr. and Ed Jones attended the annual meeting of the Rock River Production Credit association in Sterling yesterday.

John Tourtellot, a student at the University of Illinois, is spending the between-semester vacation here with his family.
Mrs. Floyd Koessler is a surgical patient at the Amboy hospital.
The junior class of the Amboy township high school will be hosts at a dance at the school Saturday night.
James Donnelly, Jr. of Sterling spent Sunday here with his parents.
Mrs. Rose Morrissey is convalescing at the home of her son F. J. Morrissey in Sublette.
Elizabeth Wedlock of Urbana is spending a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Wedlock.
Raymond Finley moved his family from Chicago Thursday to Amboy.

John Conroy of Urbana is spending his vacation with his family. Mrs. Charles Buckley is confined to her home with illness.
Mrs. William Lafferty and children of Dixon spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Tait.
Joe Lovett spent today in Dixon. Eileen Cole of Rosary college spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cole.

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Miss Dorothy Nicholson who is a student at Normal, is a surgical patient at the Amboy hospital.
The Altar and Rosary society of St. Patrick's church will entertain at a card party Sunday night.
Mrs. Neil Friel of Maytown is a medical patient at the Amboy hospital.
Mr. and Mrs. K. S. McKinnon spent the week-end with Mrs. Emma Parker in Sterling.
John Griffith, student at the University of Illinois, is expected home today to spend his mid-term vacation with his parents.
Mrs. Ray Bybee who has been a patient at the Amboy hospital was able to leave today.

The Alumnae of St. Anne's school will entertain at a dance Sunday night.
Mrs. Sherman Shaw is a surgical patient at the Amboy hospital.
The home economics department of the Amboy township high school is conducting a series of classes for homemakers and girls out of school.
The first meeting was held last night and 35 attended. The first five sessions are devoted to the subject of "Clothing Selection" and are taught by Viola B. Strauch, clothing instructor, and the second five lessons are to be devoted to the topic "Family Relationships" and are to be taught by Ruth Overman, local instructor.

Spencer declared "it was a miracle" no one in the audience was injured in the rush to exits that cleared the theater within three minutes after the blast.
He estimated damages at \$25,000, and said he believed the explosion and fire originated from a friction spark.

Explosion And Fire Terrorize Theatre Crowd

Mounds, Ill.—(AP)—Fire Chief Forrest Spencer investigated today the explosion and fire that panicked a theater audience of 500 last night, seriously burned the projection machine operator, John Henderson, 25 and destroyed the Roxy theater building.

Telephone service was disrupted by the fire, which ravaged the telephone company switchboard in the same building. Two switchboard operators were overcome by smoke. Neither of the two, Mrs. Christine Peterson and Miss Louise Omart, was seriously affected.

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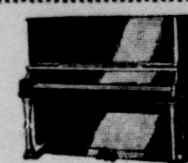
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Youth will be uppermost in the minds of everyone. Special programs are being arranged by child study groups, schools, parent-teacher associations, women's clubs, consumer leagues, and child welfare organizations all over the country. All of these recognize the importance of National Children's Week.

Kline's wish to join in saluting the talent of Dixon's youth by giving over appropriate space at our store for a huge exhibit and contest of drawings by the grade school children of Lee County. This includes both public and parochial schools in this city and in rural districts.

Ten Dollars in Cash Prizes Five Dollars in Merchandise Prizes

- Any grade school boy or girl is eligible to enter.
- One drawing to be submitted by each entry.
- Name, grade and school must be listed on back of drawing.
- Entries will be divided into four groups, as follows:

Group 1--Children in 1st and 2nd grades
Group 2--Children in 3rd and 4th grades
Group 3--Children in 5th and 6th grades
Group 4--Children in 7th and 8th grades

- Winners in each group will receive a cash prize of \$2.50.
- Second choice in each group will be awarded a merchandise prize.
- Drawings may be submitted at Kline's, starting tomorrow and up to Monday, Feb. 14th.
- Pictures will be on display in the store for the entire week of Feb. 14th, through Feb. 19th.
- All pictures will be returned after the exhibit.
- The three judges of the contest will be a representative of the Dixon Telegraph --a prominent Dixon woman and art enthusiast -- and a well known Dixon artist.
- For further details or questions concerning this contest, inquire at Kline's.

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DOLLAR DEVALUATION -- A GOOD OR BAD THING?

It is now almost four years since the dollar was devalued.

And today the effect of that epoch-making shift of monetary policy is lost in the welter of national and international factors that bear on the relation between the things bought and the money paid for them. Few economists have been hardy enough to attempt to pick out the exact effects of dollar devaluation.

Yet four years ago the nation gasped at the daring of the step. The more conservative shuddered at what they felt sure was a gate opening directly on inflation that would destroy us all. They may yet be right. No one knows. But certainly no sign of it has appeared yet, and right now the United States is in a period of deflation and falling prices.

Even the most radically-minded among financial authorities took a firm grip on the handles and prepared for some kind of a fast sleigh-ride when the price of gold was artificially advanced so that the 100-cent dollar became a 59-cent dollar in relation to the price of gold. And when the Supreme Court upheld the course, it was Justice McReynolds who cried out at the "shame and humiliation" of it, and lamented that "the Constitution, as we have known it, is gone."

Something is gone, all right, but nobody seems to know quite what it is. Prices did rise, steadily, until last fall, when they began to slip, and have been slipping ever since. How much of that price inflation was due to dollar devaluation, and how much to lavish spending by the federal government, the soldiers' bonus farm-aid payments, and the like, no one can measure, and few are hardy enough to try.

The effect of devaluation on the pocketbook of the average man is even harder to measure. He still goes to the store with paper dollars, and buys with them about what he did before. The fact that they are theoretically worth less gold has not up to now made any appreciable difference to him.

It is quite likely, however, that there has been a definite effect on foreign trade. Devaluation placed the American dollar in a workable relationship with foreign moneys; and export of U. S. steel, farm machinery, cotton and automobiles have steadily increased to the point where they were a worthwhile cushion to the recession.

Gold continues to pile up in the federal vaults under the standing offer to purchase at an artificially-high fixed price. Many economists believe this is a danger, and that the rest of the world may suddenly give up gold as a monetary measure, leaving us with most of the world's supply and nothing to use it for but to fill teeth. But that, too, is mere crystal gazing.

Dollar devaluation and its history thus far prove nothing at all except that we once took what we thought was a daring step, and that its results four years later were neither the heaven promised by its advocates nor the hell forecast by its opponents.

THE BURDEN OF SICKNESS

If there ever was any question that the health of the people is a matter of public concern, it has been forever settled by the National Health Survey, being completed by WPA workers as the most comprehensive study of its kind ever made.

On any average winter day, the survey showed, 6,000,000 men, women, and children are unable to work, go to school, or go about their ordinary business, because of illness or accident. That is almost one person in 20.

Less than half of these are suffering from chronic disease, and at least 1,500,000 of them have been laid low by common influenza, grip, cold, and tonsillitis.

The Public Health Service concludes that at least 1,250,000,000 days are lost from work in homes, factories, and schools every year because of illnesses, which disable for a week or more.

The total economic loss each year is beyond calculation. Think what it would mean if the common cold could be as effectively banished as smallpox!

Yet what would we do with 1,250,000,000 work days suddenly added to national production? We cannot, at this moment, buy and consume even the production which can be turned out today, even with all these losses through illness. Is it possible that the world is so topsy-turvy that it is actually a "good" thing that all these people should be sick?

GOODY, BUFFALO!

Another old friend is leaving us—the buffalo nickel. He is 25 years old, with his well-worn design of an Indian head on one side and a bison on the other. The law permits changing coins every 25 years, and so, just for variety or something, we will have a new kind of nickel this spring, with Jefferson on one side and his old home, Monticello, on the other.

The design will be different, but the central problem will be the same whether it is the buffalo or the Jefferson nickel—how to get more of them.

ANNUAL MEETING OF I. N. U. TO BE HELD HERE APR. 6

Company Has Had Good Year; Successor to Ralston Necessary

A bulletin issued yesterday afternoon to stockholders of the Illinois Northern Utilities Co., announced the annual meeting of the company will be held at its main offices in this city Wednesday, April 6, at 2:30 o'clock, at which time directors will be elected—one to fill the vacancy caused by the death of John C. Ralston, president of the Reynolds Wire Co. of Dixon.

The bulletin was enclosed with checks for the quarterly dividend of \$1.50 on the 6 per cent preferred stock and \$1.75 per share on the junior preferred stock to stockholders on record January 15.

Because the earnings and expenses for 1937 are being audited for the annual report, no statement of earnings for the last quarter of the year was contained in the bulletin.

Electric Sales Increase

Sales of electricity during the past quarter amounted to 41,492,389 kilowatt hours, an increase of 4-148,388 kilowatt hours, of 11.1 per cent over the same quarter of 1936. Curtailment of industrial activity in the territory served by the company was given as the cause of an 8.9 per cent decrease in the number of kilowatt hours of electricity sold in December as compared with the previous month.

Sales of electricity to residential customers increased 15.7 per cent over the same quarter last year, while sales to rural consumers gained 64.7 per cent for the same period.

Gas sales totalled 524,027 therms during the quarter, an increase of 54 per cent over the same period a year ago. Merchandise sales amounted to \$109,928.74 as compared with \$113,679.08 for the final quarter of 1936.

Rural Construction Gains

The 709.6 miles of rural electric lines constructed in 1937 is the largest number of rural lines to be erected in a year during the history of the company. During 1936 and 426 miles of line were erected. During the past year 2,136 farm customers were provided with service, while at the close of the year applications of 1,108 farmers for service were on file.

During the quarter new power business added a load of 587 horsepower to the lines of the company and will provide an estimated additional revenue of \$8,500 per year. A renewal 10-year street lighting contract was signed with the city of Earlville.

ROOSEVELT NOT LIKELY TO ALTER FOREIGN POLICY

President Says Its Clear To Majority Of Nation

Washington, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Informed officials predicted today that Senate criticism would fail to alter the administration's course in international relations.

President Roosevelt told his press conference late yesterday that his foreign policy was very clear to most people. His comment followed demands from Senator Borah (R-Idaho) and Senator Johnson (R-Calif.) for clarification.

Borah told the Senate that, through an administration policy of silence, other nations were being led to believe the United States and Great Britain had formed a "tacit alliance" to build up their navies.

In response to another question at his press conference, the President said his current recommendations for increased appropriations for the army constituted all he now had in mind for that branch of national defense.

Chairman Pittman (D-Nev.) of the Senate foreign relations committee was quick to take issue with Johnson and Borah.

America, Pittman said, was avoiding "alliance either for offense or defense."

The administration, he said, has never swerved from the "non-interference, non-intervention" policy enunciated by President Roosevelt when he took office.

Johnson disagreed and asserted that the President's Chicago demand for a "quarantine" of warring nations and the subsequent Brussels conference had put America in "the pusillanimous position of having threatened a country and not carried through."

Senator Lewis (D-Ill.) blamed "confusion" over American foreign policy on efforts of foreign officials to "interpret" the attitude of this government.

ACCEPTS POST

Bloomington.—(AP)—Arthur S. Smith, Bloomington, announced acceptance of his reappointment as chairman of the Illinois liquor control commission, a position he has held for the last four years. He was reappointed last week by Governor Horner.

Always check the carburetor after installing new piston rings, as the previous mixture probably is too rich for the improved compression and vacuum.

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Answer to Question No. 1

1. Nobody likes blue, depressing conversation but we all like "blue" songs because they are not some individual weeping on your shoulder but the expression of the great emotions of the race. We do not enjoy hearing of Mrs. Grundy's last operation, but do enjoy having Hamlet use his sword to give an inside view of the King. Blue conversation is personal but blue songs are artistic and, therefore, racial.

Answer to Question No. 2

2. This statement by Mrs. Ringler is quoted in a press dispatch and, while I do not agree with it in all situations, I rather think that in a jury trial she is correct. Women probably know their own sex better than men do and, so to speak, are more on to their mental curves. An outburst of tears or a play for sympathy by a woman witness I think is much more likely to get men's goats, while women take it

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as a routine procedure. However, when scientists study women by laboratory methods, uninfluenced

by their emotions, they usually learn more than most women do. At least most of our knowledge of feminine psychology has been developed by men.

Answer to Question No. 3

3. Very few people have ever been original. As Emerson said, for two thousand years the whole world thought through Plato. Seems to me the Middle Ages thought mostly through Spinoza—that grand, Jewish thinker. We all think now largely through Darwin, Mendel and Morgan, or Compton, Milliken, Langmuir, Moore and Einstein or Cattel, Thorndike and Judd, or Freud, Adler and Jung, etc., etc., although most of us get even our knowledge of these great men and their thoughts from the daily newspaper.

Tomorrow: Do most people fail to enjoy the present expecting a Lucky Break in the future? Copyright 1938, John F. Dille Co.

NAZI MINISTER OF WAR RESIGNS HIS POSITION

Goes To Capri On His Honeymoon; Hitler Appears Irrked

Berlin, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Marshal Werner von Blomberg, minister of war, handed his resignation to Reichsfuehrer Hitler before going to Capri on his honeymoon, a highly reliable informant disclosed today.

There had been indications the officers' corps of the army was not pleased by marriage of the 59-year-old marshal to Erika Grohn on January 12, and this was followed by the reports he would relinquish his post.

Hitler and Von Blomberg conferred at the war ministry on January 21. The fuehrer was seen to enter with great excitement, and later emerged appearing pale and grave.

Soon thereafter the war marshal left for Italy.

An official announcement will not be made before the end of the week, and may be delayed longer.

It will be coupled, a most authoritative informant indicated, with publication of a scheme for conduct of military affairs in the future.

Von Blomberg retains the title of field marshal, there being no re-

tirement for that rank. Field marshals remain active for life.

Colonel General Werner von Fritsch, commander-in-chief of the reichswehr, who was said to have acted as spokesman for the army in suggesting the field marshal's resignation, has gone on leave and cancelled an invitation to an official dinner at his home this week.

The new 59-year-old field marshal's bride is 28 and the daughter of a carpenter.

Waitress Succumbs Of Injuries From Fourth Floor Fall

St. Paul, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Betty O'Brien, 22-year-old waitress, died in Ancker hospital early today of injuries sustained when she fell or leaped, according to Police Sergeant Bart Slaghtery, from the fourth floor offices occupied by John C. DeCoursey and Willard J. Moran, attorneys.

Slaghtery said DeCoursey, defense lawyer for Frank McCool, recently convicted for participation in the murder of Mrs. Alice McQuillan Dunn, 20 years ago, was held for questioning. He said Moran was released after questioning.

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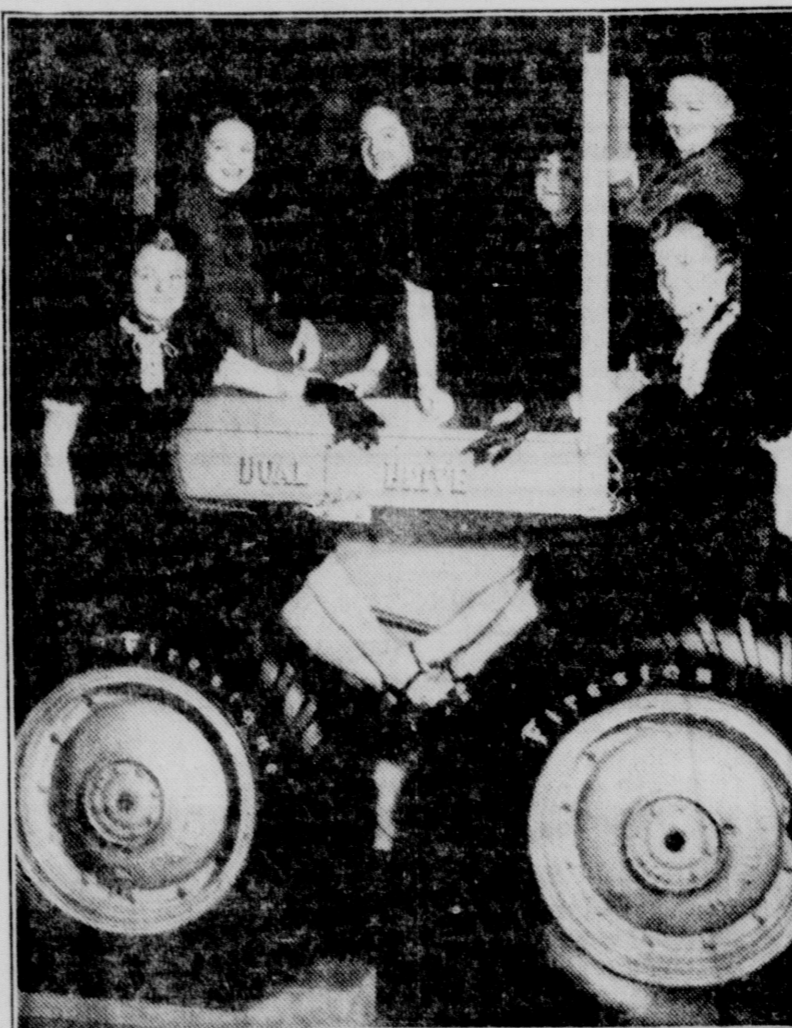
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The other skaters in the picture are (from left) Barbara Carabin, Betty Richards, Grace Gale and Betty Anne Moss, all featured performers in pictures and in the current smash-hit Ice Revue.

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STERLING AND WIRES EASILY WIN CONTESTS

Former Keeps Share Of First Place; Wins 40-24

Sterling and the Reynolds Wires had little trouble with their opponent last night in the Industrial league, the former keeping secure its hold on first place with the Knacks Leaders by dribbling the I. N. U. Co. team 40 to 24. Next week the Sterling and Knacks teams will clash in the feature game of the second round for undisputed possession of the top.

In the opening game Tuesday evening the Reynolds Wire Co. team improved their percentage at the expense of the hapless Telegraph team by winning 41 to 30 in a last quarter splurge of scoring. The Grove boys were enjoying one of their best nights in this game. Eddie and Murray copping ten points apiece while Spike Cinnamon who has been trying his best to hit that bucket the last few weeks came through with twelve points for the Wires.

Both Start Hot
Both teams started out by swishing in basket after basket and the game wasn't two minutes old before it became apparent the contest was going to be a free-scoring affair with little emphasis on defense. The Reynolds held a 9 to 5 first quarter lead and then the bombardment of the hoops by both teams started. The Reynolds managed to keep their advantage by five points 20 to 15 in the second quarter. The Press quint trailed 26 to 16 at one time in the early part of the third period but gradually shaved this down to a 28-25 Reynolds' margin with Bowers and Raymon accounting for two buckets just before the period ended.

In the final quarter Johnny Naylor got two baskets and four free throws boosting his total for the evening to ten points and keeping the Telegraph from being out-classed too greatly by the rampaging Wires who cut loose with twelve points.
The I. N. U. Co. started out strong against Sterling and after overcoming a temporary 3-0 Sterling lead pushed ahead into a 10-6 advantage of their own in the first quarter. However after this opening quarter showing the Utilities boys had played all their trumps. The I. N. U. Co. man to man defense was not sufficient to stop a team with the speed Sterling possessed and the invaders ran the Scaletts ragged the balance of the game. The electricians scored only one basket in the second quarter and only two in the third, by Emmert and Hall, while the Walz Luncheon quint poured in so fast the net on the hoop would have been worn to ribbons had it not been woven for just such punishment.

Play All Their Trumps
The Sterling boys held a 16 to 12 half time lead then piled up sixteen more points in the third period for a 32-16 advantage. The Utilities five was only outscored 8 to 6 in the last quarter but by that time Sterling was able to coast along to an easy victory.

| Reynolds (41) | G. | Ft. | P. | T. |
|---------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Murphy, f. | 2 | 0 | 3 | 4 |
| E. Grove, f. | 2 | 0 | 3 | 10 |
| Cinnamon, c. | 5 | 2 | 1 | 12 |
| McMillon, g. | 1 | 3 | 3 | 5 |
| Lebre, g. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Grove, g. | 5 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| Bishop, g. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| J. Grove, f. | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 18 | 5 | 9 | 41 |

| Telegraph (30) | G. | Ft. | P. | T. |
|----------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Naylor, f. | 3 | 4 | 1 | 10 |
| Bowers, f. | 4 | 1 | 0 | 9 |
| Flanagan, c. | 2 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| Wartel, f. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Hoffman, g. | 0 | 3 | 0 | 3 |
| Rayhorn, g. | 2 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| Totals | 11 | 8 | 7 | 30 |

| Sterling (40) | G. | Ft. | P. | T. |
|---------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Brandau, f. | 3 | 2 | 0 | 8 |
| Davidson, f. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 7 |
| Bogott, c. | 3 | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| Witmer, g. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| Miller, g. | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 |
| Wetzel, f. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 8 |
| Zolenden, c. | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Felley, g. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Burns, g. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Totals | 18 | 4 | 7 | 40 |

| I. N. U. Co. (24) | G. | Ft. | P. | T. |
|-------------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Hall, f. | 3 | 3 | 2 | 9 |
| Flitaker, f. | 2 | 1 | 0 | 5 |
| Lebre, c. | 2 | 2 | 2 | 6 |
| Rusk, g. | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Totals | 8 | 6 | 6 | 22 |

Lee Center Trims Amboy Team 20-18 In Extra Period

(Telegraph Sports Service)
Lee Center, Feb. 2.—Lee Center high's team invaded Amboy Monday night and turned in a surprising 20 to 18 victory over the Scarlets in an overtime period.

The score was tied 18 to 18 at the end of the regular playing time but Foster, scrappy Lee Center pivot man, dropped in the extra winning field goal for Lee Center in the overtime period. In the first quarter Lee Center led 5 to 2 and held it 7 to 6 at half time. Amboy rallied to tie the score 13-13 in the third quarter and then ensued the hectic fourth quarter duel.

| Lee Center (20) | G. | Ft. | P. | T. |
|-----------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Delhotal, f. | 5 | 1 | 2 | 7 |
| McBride, f. | 2 | 2 | 2 | 6 |
| Foster, c. | 2 | 0 | 3 | 4 |
| White, g. | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Gehant, g. | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Totals | 7 | 6 | 11 | 20 |

| Amboy (18) | G. | Ft. | P. | T. |
|--------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Missman, f. | 1 | 2 | 1 | 4 |
| Litts, f. | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 |
| Mickey, c. | 2 | 0 | 4 | 4 |
| Powers, g. | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 |
| Lynch, g. | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| Stiel, g. | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| McGraw, g. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Griffith, g. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 7 | 4 | 13 | 18 |

| Planagan, g. | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
|--------------|---|---|----|----|
| Miller, g. | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Emmert, f. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Callahan, g. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Barnhart, g. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 9 | 6 | 11 | 24 |

| Knacks | 5 | 1 | 833 |
|------------|---|---|-----|
| Sterling | 5 | 1 | 833 |
| I. N. U. | 3 | 4 | 428 |
| Reynolds | 3 | 4 | 428 |
| Telegraphs | 0 | 7 | 000 |

Scoring Leaders Held Positions Owing To Exams

Chicago, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Positions of individual scoring leaders in the Big Ten conference basketball race remained unchanged this week with conference activity being interrupted by semester examinations.
Louis (Pick) Dehner, University of Illinois center, held first place with 97 points in six games. Johnny Townsend of Michigan was runner-up with 61, two more than Jewell Young, Purdue forward, who has played in two less games than the leaders.

MIAMI BILTMORE FEATURES MILEY VERSUS KIRBY

Kirby Dispatches Mrs. Hill, Miley Also Wins

Coral Gables, Fla., Feb. 2.—(AP)—A match between Marion Miley of Fort Pierce, Fla., and Dorothy Kirby of Atlanta, Ga., claimed chief interest in the Miami Biltmore women's golf tournament today.

Miss Kirby, southern women's champion, neatly dispatched Mrs. Douglas Hill of Cincinnati to the sidelines with a 6 and 5 score yesterday. With an identical score Miss Miley, co-medalist with Patty Berg and Mrs. Jane Cochran Jameson, eliminated Mrs. Blanche Fitzgibbon of New York.

Patty and Mrs. Jameson took on second round opponents who, barring the chance of an upset, would give them little more than a workout. Patty was paired with Sally Guth of Webster Grove, Mo., and Mrs. Jameson played Mrs. Mortimer May of New York.

Kathryn Hemphill of Columbia, S. C., who so far this year hasn't found the winning touch she displayed last season, was matched today with Mrs. Charles Harbaugh of Cleveland. The South Carolinian yesterday trounced Gladys Durand of East Williston, N. Y., 5 and 4.

Patty Berg yesterday defeated Mrs. Freeda Nolan of New Castle, Pa., 7 and 6, and Mrs. Jameson advanced on the default of Mrs. Leo Walper of Washington.

RECORD INTACT

Burnside, Ill., Feb. 2.—(AP)—It required overtime effort, but Burnside high school boasted of its 20th consecutive basketball victory today. The Little Hancock county school kept its record intact last night by defeating Augusta, 21 to 19.

KANSAS CYCLONE HEAVY FAVORITE; MILLROSE GAMES

Has Won Wanamaker Mile Four Times In Five Years

New York, Feb. 2.—(AP)—If history repeats, as is its habit, Glenn Cunningham, the smooth-striding Kansan will win the Wanamaker mile at the Millrose games Saturday night.

"Old Hatchet Face," as the boys call Glenn, has been running this event since 1933 and has missed winning it only once. That's four victories in five starts.

Accompanied by such stalwarts as Don Lash, who will try for a double in the mile and the two-mile run; Archie San Romani, who has never won the Wanamaker; Gene Venzke, who won it once, and Wisconsin's Chuck Fenske, Cunningham will enter one of the greatest of the invitation indoor miles against one of its best fields.

Lures Great Runners

Since 1926, when it went back to the mile distance after having been raced at a mile and a half from 1914 through 1925, the Wanamaker has attracted some of the greatest middle-distance men in track history: Cunningham, San Romani, Lloyd Hahn, Ray Conger, Venzke. Twice it has been run in 4:11 and twice in 4:11.2.

Venzke lifted the event to new heights in 1932 when he turned in the first 4:11.2, at that time the fastest mile ever run in America indoors or out. Cunningham came on the scene next year and except for 1936, when Joe Mangano ran 4:11 and won the race in a stunning upset, he has dominated the event.

His times have been 4:13 in 1933; 4:11.2 in 1934; 4:11 in 1935 and 4:14.4 last year.

GRIFFITH MAKES COMMENTS UPON FOOTBALL RULES

Feels His Baseball Senators Will Do Better In 1938

Orlando, Fla., Feb. 2.—(AP)—Clark Griffith sprinkled optimistic comments on the chances of his Washington Senators today with some advice to the college football rules committee.

The silver-haired baseball club owner said he thought the Nats would do "much better" this season—naming pitchers Wes Ferrell, Joe Kraskauskas and a half-dozen promising rookies among his reasons for a rosy-hued view of the pennant chase.

The subject of football came up when someone asked Griffith if he thought there were anything wrong with baseball today.

"Nothing," he replied, "but there could be some college football rule changes."

"It's still too much of a closed-up game," he explained, advocating more passing.

"The rules committee should do something to help the boys and give them more opportunity to score through the air. A college team, I believe, ought to be able to pass as many times as it wants to and from any position on the field."

Back on baseball, Griffith saw the Senators well up in the first division.

"I expect Wes Ferrell to be a big help in more ways than one," he said. "Besides being a winning pitcher, he is a good student of baseball and will be a steady influence on the newcomers."

GRANT TRYING TO PROVE HE'S ABOVE FOURTH

Believes Ranking Given By Experts Was Undeserved

Miami Beach, Fla., Feb. 2.—(AP)—Bryan Grant, pint-sized tennis star from Atlanta, moved against Vernon Marcum of Lakeland, Fla., in the Surf club tournament today as another step in his campaign to show the tennis world his reduction to fourth place in national rankings was undeserved.

Bitsy polished off two Miamians yesterday and looked to the forthcoming finals, where it was probable he would meet Bobby Riggs, Chicago youngster ranked second nationally. Only Don Budge, now

BOWLING

TONIGHT'S SCHEDULE
7 P. M.—Budweisers vs. Millers
High Life.
Buick-Pontiacs vs. United Cigars.
9 P. M.—Beiers Loafers vs. Boynton-Richards.
Knacks vs. Williams DeSotos.

| City League | Woon | Lost |
|------------------------|------|------|
| Hayden's Service | 34 | 23 |
| Reynold's Wire | 33 | 24 |
| Pioneer Service | 32 | 25 |
| Post Office | 31 | 26 |
| Kroger Grocery | 29 | 28 |
| Beier's Salesmen | 27 | 30 |
| Fosselman's Royal Blue | 24 | 33 |
| LaFendrichs | 18 | 39 |

| Team Records | High Team Game |
|------------------|-----------------------|
| Beier's Salesmen | 1118 |
| Hayden's Service | 1086 |
| High Team Series | Beier's Salesmen 3125 |
| LaFendrichs | 3032 |

| Individual Records | High Ind. Game |
|--------------------|----------------|
| McCardle | 255 |
| Beckler | 253 |
| High Ind. Series | Worley 671 |
| Fallstrom | 638 |

| Kroger's | | | | |
|--------------|-----|-----|------|------|
| Scott | 138 | 188 | 143— | 469 |
| Coleman | 140 | 159 | 131— | 430 |
| Witzleb | 157 | 155 | 107— | 419 |
| Ridlbauer .. | 153 | 166 | 137— | 456 |
| Lair | 177 | 177 | 177— | 531 |
| Hdep. | 75 | 75 | 75— | 225 |
| Totals | 840 | 920 | 770— | 2530 |

| Pioneer Service | | | | |
|-----------------|-----|------|------|------|
| Fallstrom .. | 217 | 211 | 210— | 638 |
| Strub | 139 | 161 | 164— | 464 |
| Underwood .. | 137 | 169 | 135— | 441 |
| Jacobson ... | 180 | 198 | 181— | 559 |
| Devine | 200 | 214 | 170— | 584 |
| Hdcp. | 79 | 79 | 79— | 237 |
| Totals | 952 | 1032 | 939— | 2923 |

| Hayden's | | | | |
|--------------|-----|-----|------|------|
| Smith | 151 | 181 | 170— | 502 |
| Pollack | 154 | 181 | 161— | 496 |
| Detweiler .. | 234 | 170 | 173— | 577 |
| Hayden | 139 | 184 | 118— | 441 |
| Heckman | 204 | 150 | 228— | 582 |
| Hdep. | 51 | 51 | 51— | 153 |
| Totals | 933 | 917 | 901— | 2751 |

| LaFendrich | | | | |
|---------------|------|-----|-------|------|
| Pritchard .. | 198 | 152 | 212— | 562 |
| Scott | 154 | 180 | 156— | 490 |
| Ide | 134 | 159 | 142— | 435 |
| Pelton | 216 | 143 | 214— | 573 |
| Fordham | 180 | 178 | 188— | 546 |
| Hdcp. | 142 | 142 | 142— | 426 |
| Totals .. | 1024 | 954 | 1054— | 3032 |

| Fosselman's | | | | |
|----------------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| E. Myers ... | 136 | 183 | 148 | 467 |
| Legare | 144 | 120 | 132 | 396 |
| G. Myers ... | 130 | 127 | 103 | 360 |
| Glessner ... | 166 | 180 | 148 | 494 |
| Daschb'ch, Jr. | 220 | 143 | 213 | 576 |
| Hdep. | 135 | 135 | 135 | 405 |
| Totals | 931 | 888 | 879 | 2698 |
| Reynold's Wire | | | | |
| Becker | 167 | 181 | 253 | 601 |

| | | | | |
|--------------------|-----|-----|-------|------|
| Becker | 167 | 181 | 253— | 601 |
| Dunkelberger | 184 | 182 | 172— | 538 |
| Lacks | 152 | 118 | 161— | 431 |
| Curran | 133 | 123 | 184— | 440 |
| Winebrenner | 191 | 180 | 189— | 560 |
| Hdcp. | 98 | 98 | 98— | 294 |
| Totals | 925 | 882 | 1057— | 2864 |

| Post Office | | | | |
|-------------|-------|-----|-----|---------|
| Duffey | | 177 | 172 | 212—56 |
| Tilton | | 187 | 173 | 138—49 |
| Horton | | 124 | 168 | 135—42 |
| Biggart | | 158 | 190 | 171—51 |
| Worley | | 244 | 213 | 205—66 |
| Hdcp. | | 69 | 69 | 69—20 |
| Totals | | 959 | 985 | 930—287 |

| Beier's Salesmen | | | | |
|------------------|-----|-----|------|------|
| Wade | 161 | 162 | 155— | 478 |
| McWethy .. | 147 | 120 | 161— | 428 |
| McCardle .. | 166 | 137 | 171— | 474 |
| Quaco | 179 | 172 | 148— | 499 |
| M. Bollman. | 189 | 161 | 171— | 521 |
| Hdcp. | 149 | 149 | 149— | 447 |
| Totals | 991 | 901 | 955— | 2847 |

exploring the courts of Australia, stands above Riggs.

Near Perfect Tennis
Grant played near-perfect tennis as he turned aside Paul, Russell, 6-1, 6-3, and Charles Mattman, 6-3, 6-4. He started a day late and had to play twice to catch up with the field.

Riggs, who drew a first round bye, saw his first action in the tourney yesterday and experienced a few anxious moments as Dr. Philip Hawk of Forest Hills, L. I., took advantage of his unsteadiness. He eliminated the New Yorker, 6-4, 8-6.

Today Riggs plays Carroll Turner of Miami.
Wayne Sabin of Hollywood, Calif., who was operated on two weeks ago for removal of his tonsils, dropped out of the tournament so he could recover more quickly for future contests.

AIR-CONDITIONING MODELS

A general tendency toward greater simplicity and compactness is shown in the air conditioning and heating models displayed at the fifth annual air conditioning show at the Grand Central Palace held under the auspices of American Society of Heating and Ventilating Engineers. Three hundred exhibitors are showing models of their equipment for materials.—Wall Street Journal.

O'er the Hills and Far Away



Heinz Zehentner really appears to be sailing over snow-covered peaks as the Austrian ski instructor executes a gelaendesprung on Dollar Mountain at Sun Valley, Ida.

STRIKES AND SPARES

BY "DASH"

In the Ladies league last week the Manhattan Cafe won two from Trein's Jewelry with H. Carson shooting high for the Manhattan with 437 and Palmer for Treins with 409. The Dixon Telegraph won two from the league-leading Plowman's Busy Store with H. Carson taking honors for the Telegraph with 463 and P. Neff for Plowmans with 508. Cleodons Candles won two from Poole's Laundry. Daschbach was high for Cleodons with 466 and H. Klein for Poole's with 444. Fine games rolled: E. Neff 166, Pearl Neff 167-191, H. Carson 165, Gerlach 170, Shawyer 160, Klein 162 and Daschbach 171-166.

In the City league, Hayden's Service went into first place by winning two from Pioneer Service. J. Smith was top man for Hayden's with 569 and J. Devine for the Pioneer Service with 571. Reynolds Wires held onto second place by winning two from Beier's Salesmen. Becker was high for Reynolds with 543 and Bollman for Beiers with 529. Krogers won three from Fosselmans with Lair leading for Krogers with 584 and F. Daschbach Jr. for Fosselmans with 581. LaFendrichs won two from Post Office with Pritchard high for LaFendrichs with 549 and Ed Worley leading the Post Office team with 202-243-216 for a splendid 661 series. Other fine games, Duffey 201-204, Biggart 204, Pritchard 200, Daschbach Jr. 214, Witzleb 206, Lair 221, Wade 200, Bollman 206, Pollack 201, Jacobson 216, Devine 201.

In the Classic league Williams DeSoto kept their hold on first place by winning from Boynton-Richards. Williams led his own team with 539 and Hackett was high for Boyntons with 235-202-188 for a swell 625 series. Hack has been going great guns lately. Buick-Pontiacs were really hot and won three in a row from Budweiser, shooting games of 1000-1018-990 for a grand total of 3008. Walt Klein was tops for Buicks with 596 and he has been hitting them mighty hard of late. Depart took the honors for Budweisers with 517. Beiers Loafers won two from Knacks by a close margin, winning the second game by one pin and the final by three. Don't make them quite so close fellows. Breeding was high for Beiers with 539 and Cleary for Knacks with 594. Miller High Life shot a fine 2981 series with games of 1001-936-1050 winning two from the United Cigar store. Plock was high for Millers shooting 222-171-233 for a fine 626 series. Ed Worley also shot a fine 603 series with games of 231-183-189. Fitzsimmons was high for United Cigars with 511. Other fine games, Cleary 213, Breeding 215, Ridlbauer 202-214, Kleier 223, Fitzsimmons 203, Williams 205, Huebner 216, Schrader 211, Dysart 200, J. Smith 201, Klein 206-208, and Schertner 204.

In the Commercial league, the Cities Service won three from Millers Chrysler to keep them tied with Hill Bros. for first place. Walt Klein was red hot for Cities Service shooting games of 202-221-212 for a grand 635 series. Detweiler

was high for Millers with 571. Coss Dairy won two from Eichlers. Clothiers with Stauffer high for Coss' with 534 and Myers for Eichlers with 513. Cahill's Frigidaires won three from Loneragan's Watchmakers with old Ton and a Half Pelton leading for Cahills with 564 and Bremer high for Loneragans with 515. Hill Bros. took three straight from Blue Ribbons with Plock leading Hills with 235-209-215 for a grand 659 series. Is that boy hot! Brown was high for Blue Ribbon with 489. Other fine games: Vernier 211, Hill 203, Moersbacher 20

TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

(By The Associated Press)

New York—
Stocks heavy; building shares resist trend.
Bonds steady; some rails extend gains.
Curb mixed; changes narrow.
Foreign exchanges easy; franc, sterling slip.
Cotton narrow; local and trade sugar improved; Cuban support. Coffee lower; Brazilian selling.
Chicago—
Wheat weak; Kansas, Nebraska showers.
Corn lower; export business zero. Cattle steady to weak.
Hogs steady.

Chicago Grain Table

(By The Associated Press)

| | Open | High | Low | Close |
|------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| WHEAT— | | | | |
| May | 93 1/2 | 94 1/2 | 93 1/2 | 93 1/2 |
| July | 89 1/2 | 89 1/2 | 88 1/2 | 89 |
| Sept | 88 1/2 | 89 1/2 | 88 1/2 | 89 1/2 |
| CORN— | | | | |
| May | 59 1/2 | 59 1/2 | 59 1/2 | 59 1/2 |
| July | 59 1/2 | 60 | 59 1/2 | 59 1/2 |
| Sept | 60 1/2 | 60 1/2 | 59 1/2 | 59 1/2 |
| OATS— | | | | |
| May | 31 1/2 | 31 1/2 | 31 1/2 | 31 1/2 |
| July | 29 1/2 | 29 1/2 | 28 1/2 | 29 1/2 |
| Sept | 28 1/2 | 29 1/2 | 28 1/2 | 28 1/2 |
| SOY BEANS— | | | | |
| May | 1.06 | 1.06 1/2 | 1.05 1/2 | 1.05 1/2 |
| July | 1.06 1/2 | 1.06 1/2 | 1.05 1/2 | 1.04 1/2 |
| RYE— | | | | |
| May | 74 1/2 | 74 1/2 | 73 1/2 | 74 1/2 |
| July | 69 1/2 | 69 1/2 | 68 1/2 | 69 1/2 |
| Sept | 67 1/2 | 68 1/2 | 67 1/2 | 67 1/2 |
| LARD— | | | | 8.47 |
| BELLIES— | | | | |
| May | 11.00 | | | 11.00 |

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Hogs 19,000 including 9,000 direct; market slow; early trade steady to 10 higher; advance on weights 210 lbs up; this advance now lost; top 8.75; bulk good and choice, 150-220 lbs, 8.50-9.00; 230-270 lbs, 7.75-8.40; 280-320 lbs, 7.50-7.75; good medium weight and heavy packing sows 6.75-7.00; few butchers 7.10.

Cattle 8,500; calves 1,200; largely steer run; market steady to weak; good and choice offerings about steady but killers going very slow; and bulk of steers unsold; prospects indicating a new low on crop on closing rounds; best steers, calves, 8.50; several loads around 9.00 but most early sales 6.75-8.00 and very few loads sold; heifers steady to 25 lower; mostly steady on light kinds; longed 1,000 lb heifers 8.50 but mostly 7.50 down; cutters 7.50 steady to weak; fat cows 10 to 15 lower; bulls 10 to 15 lower; and vealers steady to 25 off; mostly 11.50 down; practical top weight sausage bulls 6.00.

Sheep 8,000 including none direct; fat lambs rather slow; early sales and bids steady to easier; good to choice offerings around 7.25-7.50; choice kinds frequently held above 7.50; few choice natives to small; 1,700; good to choice yearlings 5.50; undertone about steady on sheep, but no early sales; feeding lambs scarce.

Official estimated receipts tomorrow: cattle 5,000; hogs 22,000; sheep 12,000.

Chicago Produce

Chicago, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Potatoes: 37 on track 359 total U. S. shipments; 694; old stock dull; demand slow; supplies liberal; sacked per wt Idaho russet burbank U. S. No. 1, 1.50-1.60.

Apples 60-135 per bu; lemons 2.50-4.60 per box; oranges 1.70-2.25 per box; cranberries 1.00-1.75 per box.

Poultry: live, 30 trucks steady; hens over 5 lb 21 1/2; plymouth rock fryers 22 1/2; other prices unchanged. Dressed market steady, prices unchanged.

Butter 614328, weak; creamery—specials 93 score; 33 3/4; extras 92 1/2; extra firsts (90-91) 31 1/2; 32; firsts (88-89) 30 1/2; 31 1/2; other prices unchanged.

Eggs 12,847, weak; fresh graded extra firsts local 18 1/2; firsts local 17 1/2; cuts 18; current receipts 16 1/2.

Butter futures close: storage standards, Feb 29 1/2; Mar 29 1/2, Nov 28 1/2.

Egg futures close: refrigerator standards, Oct 21 1/2, fresh graded firsts Feb 17 1/2, storage graded firsts April 19 1/2.

Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Wheat—No. 5, 89 1/2.

Corn No. 4 mixed 54 1/2; No. 2 yellow 57 1/2; No. 3 55 1/2; No. 4 54 1/2; No. 5 52 1/2; No. 6 53 1/2.

Oats No. 3 mixed 31 1/2; No. 1 white 32 1/2; No. 2 33 1/2; No. 3 white 32 1/2; No. 4 31 1/2; No. 5 30 1/2; No. 6 29 1/2; No. 7 28 1/2; No. 8 27 1/2; No. 9 26 1/2; No. 10 25 1/2; No. 11 24 1/2; No. 12 23 1/2; No. 13 22 1/2; No. 14 21 1/2; No. 15 20 1/2; No. 16 19 1/2; No. 17 18 1/2; No. 18 17 1/2; No. 19 16 1/2; No. 20 15 1/2; No. 21 14 1/2; No. 22 13 1/2; No. 23 12 1/2; No. 24 11 1/2; No. 25 10 1/2; No. 26 9 1/2; No. 27 8 1/2; No. 28 7 1/2; No. 29 6 1/2; No. 30 5 1/2; No. 31 4 1/2; No. 32 3 1/2; No. 33 2 1/2; No. 34 1 1/2; No. 35 1/2; No. 36 1/4; No. 37 1/8; No. 38 1/16; No. 39 1/32; No. 40 1/64; No. 41 1/128; No. 42 1/256; No. 43 1/512; No. 44 1/1024; No. 45 1/2048; No. 46 1/4096; No. 47 1/8192; No. 48 1/16384; No. 49 1/32768; No. 50 1/65536; No. 51 1/131072; No. 52 1/262144; No. 53 1/524288; No. 54 1/1048576; No. 55 1/2097152; No. 56 1/4194304; No. 57 1/8388608; No. 58 1/16777216; No. 59 1/33554432; No. 60 1/67108864; No. 61 1/134217728; No. 62 1/268435456; No. 63 1/536870912; No. 64 1/1073741824; 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Today's News From Neighboring Communities

Franklin Grove Happenings

MISS GRACE PEARL, CORRESPONDENT

The 500 club south of town was entertained Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Watkins. Mrs. Joe Weimkin and Mrs. Arthur Schafer held high score. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brucker low. Lovely refreshments were enjoyed.

Services in the Lutheran church next Sunday will be: Worship at 8:45, Sunday school at 9:30. The public is invited to these services. Mr. and Mrs. Morton Dockery, Mr. and Mrs. Will Black and family spent Sunday evening in Dixon with Mrs. Dockery's parents.

Rev. Ralph Dreger was a Sunday dinner guest in the Mrs. Elizabeth Durkes home. Mrs. Carrie Mong entertained with two tables of ladies at bridge Friday afternoon. At the close of the afternoon refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pyle entertained for dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Reid March, Mr. and Mrs. David Heagy and son Sidney, Gilbert Massey and Miss Marvel Schoenholz from near Dixon.

Superintendent and Mrs. Neil A. Fox spent Saturday in Chicago. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Myers a daughter, Saturday, Jan. 29.

Luther Durkes entertained his class of teen age boys, and Miss Marian Norris and her class of teen age girls of the Methodist Sunday school at the Durkes home Friday evening. Games were played and the best kind of a time was had by the young folks.

Mrs. Wayne Bates had the misfortune to fall on the ice Saturday night and broke both bones in her right wrist. The many friends of Ida are hoping that she will get along nicely.

The sophomore class of the high school with their class advisor, Miss Frances Clifford, enjoyed a class party Saturday night at the new gym. Games were played and refreshments enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Mottell Stephens and daughters of Glen Elynn were Sunday afternoon guests in the home of her father, Rev. Frank Wingert and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Maronde and son Francis of DeKalb spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at this place.

G. W. Ling and grand-daughter Miss Esther Ling were Sunday evening supper guests of Mrs. Mary Watson.

On Thursday evening about thirty-five neighbors and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Miller, where they assisted O. O. Miller and Mrs. Jay Miller in celebrating their birthday anniversary. The party was a complete surprise on O. O. Miller. Games were played, music was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Miller and son Clifford enjoyed Sunday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Robinson south of Ashton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bates entertained for supper Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Forhan, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Courtwright, Chester Funk and Mrs. Sibilla Bates, all of Dixon.

Ernest Wagner and sister Miss Mary were Saturday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Gemmell of Aurora were week end guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Buck.

Club Meeting
The Hausen Community club met Friday night at the school house. About forty were present. Games were played, taking the place of the program, which furnished much amusement. The committee for the evening was Mrs. John Cover, Mrs. Daniel Miller, Mrs. Souders, Mrs. Wilbur Spratt, Mrs. Carl Spangler. This committee served refreshments.

Entertained Friends
Rev. and Mrs. Frank Wingert entertained a group of friends Friday in honor of Mrs. Jay Miller and Albert Lutz who were both celebrating their birthday anniversaries. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lutz and son Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Arnold and daughters of Lighthouse, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Miller and family, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Zimmerman and family, O. O. Miller, William Naylor, Mrs. Sadie Blaine and Howard Buyer.

Sale Success
The market and not doughnut sale sponsored by the Missionary society of the Presbyterian church Saturday cleared over \$18.

New Programs
The new programs for the Priscilla club were given out to the members at their last meeting. The club was organized by Mrs. Jennie Reigle in 1912. The club flower is daffodil and the colors are yellow and white. Officers for the year are: president, Mrs. A. W. Crawford; vice president, Mrs. Elizabeth Durkes; treasurer, Mrs. Margery Howard. The next meeting will be held Friday afternoon, Feb. 4 with Mrs. Nona Schultz.

Happy Evening
About forty women gathered at the Kersten gym Thursday night in response to an invitation from the Junior Women's club who are sponsoring a ladies' night for once a week at the gym. Many stunts

and lots of fun was entered into by the ladies. It sure was an evening of real recreation. The ladies are planning to meet again Friday evening, Feb. 11. All ladies of the town community are urged to be present.

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By Mrs. Lloyd O. Coleman
Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Faber of Genoa stayed for a few days at the home of Ezra Betz last week.

C. J. Politich spent several days last week in Springfield, where he attended an agricultural meeting.

Those from Paw Paw who attended the International Harvester Co. show in Dixon last week were Louis Roger, Clarence Politich, Ray Willard, Carl Rosenkrans, Rev. Lloyd Coleman and Louis Miller.

Gilbert Walter has taken over the meat market run by Sherman Taylor, and will continue to run as high a grade store as has been run in the past. Mr. Taylor has not yet announced his plans for the future.

The Boy Scouts met last week in the Community club rooms as usual and after the roll call was taken by Junior Brewer, Scout scribe, various members of the troop were asked to explain parts of the Scout law. Then a signaling drill was held. Several more of the boys are about ready to appear before the board of review to pass their second class tests, and two more boys, James and Russell Rafferty, are about ready to take their tenderfoot tests. There are now 16 boys in the troop.

The Jonesville school west of town held no school Friday because of the illness of Mrs. Alfred Drummond, teacher.

Neil Coleman missed two days of school last week because of a cold. Dr. and Mrs. Stephen Wojcik entertained the following guests at dinner on Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Drummond, Miss Helen McEwen and Marshall Griffith.

Miss Emily Cornwell and Mrs. Blanche Roberts were in Mendota Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Prim, of Burlington called at the home of Mrs. Mary Hackman Sunday. Mrs. Prim is a sister of Mrs. Hackman.

OBITUARY

Louis Burnett
Louis Burnett was born in Langtree, Devonshire, England, Dec. 6, 1851. He was one of the younger of a large family of children born to James and Mary Pursey Burnett. When a young man of 18 years he came with an elder brother to America, settling at Port Perry, Ont., Canada. He made his home in and around Port Perry for several years. He was united in marriage to Amelia Mikel.

In March, 1890, he came with his wife and four children to the States, settling in the vicinity of Paw Paw, and abiding here until his death which occurred Thursday morning, Jan. 27, one month and one day following the passing on of his wife.

Seven children are left to mourn his passing: Will, of San Francisco, Roy, of Genoa, Mary (Mrs. Pay Snow) of Paw Paw, Fred of Lytton, Ia, Herbert of Paw Paw, Lucy (Mrs. Ira Douglass) of Shabbona, Harold of Paw Paw. One son died in infancy in Canada. He leaves no brothers or sisters, being the last to survive his large family.

Funeral services were held in the funeral parlors of Torman & Hill Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Rev. Lloyd O. Coleman officiating. Music was played by Mrs. Frank Nangle. Interment was in Wyoming cemetery.

Methodist Church

Compton:
Sunday school at 9 a. m.
Morning worship at 9:45 a. m.
Subject, "The Church in the World."

Epworth League Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Paw Paw:
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Morning worship at 11:15 a. m.
Subject, "The Church in the World."

Epworth League on Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

Rev. Lloyd O. Coleman, pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mittan entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Crouch, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Potter and son, Roger, Mrs. Mary Hackman, Miss Gertrude Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bearrow of Rochelle Thursday evening.

Dave Roberts of Polo spent Sunday at the home of his mother, Mrs. Blanche Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Drummond spent the weekend in Pearl City, at the home of Mrs. Drummond's parents. On their return to Paw Paw they reported that roads in northwestern Illinois were in a very icy condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Breese entertained Miss Emily Cornwell, Miss Alice Glashagel, Miss Maureen Fell, and Miss Helen McEwen at their home Thursday evening. The evening was spent playing games. Dainty refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bearrows spent the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Potter.

Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Coleman and son Neil and Miss Alice Glashagel were Dixon shoppers Saturday.

Everett Powers was seriously injured when the ladder on which he was working broke, causing him to fall to the frozen ground. Mr. Powers is confined to a hospital in Sterling. Mrs. Powers is with him.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Priekorn,

visited relatives in Somanuk Sunday.

Mrs. I. H. Breese entertained the Presbyterian Guild this afternoon. Mrs. Yale Bates shopped in Rockford Tuesday.

Mrs. Hulda Roessler called in Dixon Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kelly and Mrs. Mabel Worsley were business callers in Rockford Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Offendahl and Mrs. Orville Henry, Mrs. Tillie Weaver and Glenn Beach attended the Greer Hartman funeral at Rockford Monday.

Miss Roberta Ulrey of Mendota visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ulrey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Town and son Billy and Joe Safranek, Jr., were in LaSalle Sunday.

Ivan Urish and son Everett drove to Iowa last Saturday.

Elzie Ulrey is employed in the Torman & Hill furniture store during the sale being held there at the present time.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church met at the church Wednesday evening of last week. The treasurer reported \$21.14 on hand. The society voted a sum of \$100 to be used in redecorating. Plans were discussed for the re-dedication program to be held after the work on the church is completed, probably early in the month of March. After the business meeting, Mrs. H. C. Barton conducted a Biblical contest in which Mrs. Harry Davidson was the winner. Refreshments were served by the committee, Mrs. H. C. Barton, Mrs. Lottie Herrick, Mrs. Mamie Thomas, Mrs. Mary Frinkins, Mrs. Myrtle Rissetter, and Miss Ruth Politich.

Mrs. Anna Warren left last Thursday for Champaign where she was called by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Grace Larabee.

Mrs. Ira Talcott attended the funeral of her nephew, George Besse, in Erie last Saturday.

Dr. S. C. Fleming went to Chicago Thursday to call on Mrs. E. J. Betz.

Ezra Schreck of Mendota called in Town Saturday.

Miss Ruth Politich entertained the Sewing club at the home of Mrs. Hulda Roessler last Thursday afternoon. The time was spent sewing and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Gertrude Smith is suffering with an infection in her thumb.

The Rebekahs enjoyed a school of instruction at their hall Friday night with Mrs. Lula Witmer of Sterling as instructor. Mrs. Callaghan of Rock Falls was also a guest. The card party and luncheon originally dated for February 4, was changed to Thursday, February 3, because of the basketball game Friday.

Mrs. Carl Kindelberger assisted by Mrs. Byron Rosenkrans, and Mrs. Arthur Wells, entertained the Birthday club last Saturday evening at her home. Following a lovely 6:30 dinner the evening was spent playing bridge. Mrs. Gene Gibbs held high score. Each guest received a gift.

C. J. Politich has attended the school of instruction for the Farm Bureau in Springfield several days last week, returning home on Friday afternoon.

George Moore and sister, Miss Lucy, have moved in with their mother, Mrs. Eliza Moore.

The Contract club met at the home of Mrs. John Prentice Thursday evening. Mrs. Mamie Bemer held high score and Carl Rosenkrans low. A lunch was served.

The executive committee of the Builders' class met at the home of Mrs. Mabel Worsley on Monday afternoon to consider ways and means for the coming months activities.

Rev. Lloyd O. Coleman attended the regular monthly men's meeting of the Compton church Monday evening.

Ellman Crouch and a friend met with an automobile accident last Wednesday between Waterman and Shabbona. Mr. Crouch suffered no serious injury but his companion was not so fortunate, requiring a doctor's care. Several stitches were required to close a wound.

The Little Ten tournament held last week at Hinckley resulted in the following scores:

Tuesday, Plano vs. Waterman, 22 to 21; Earlville 28, Seneca 20; Shabbona 33, Somanuk 13.

Wednesday, Leland won on a forfeit from Sheridan; Rolio 52, Hinckley 31, Sandwich 30, Paw Paw 26.

Thursday, Earlville 22, Plano 13; Shabbona 30, Leland 17.

A group of ladies met at the home of Mrs. Mabel Worsley last Friday and tied two comforters.

The following person from out of town attended the funeral of Louis Burnett last Sunday afternoon: Frederick Burnett, of Lytton, Ia., Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burnett of Genoa, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Douglass of Mendota, Mr. and Mrs. Evan Nell, Mrs. Lillian Wilkenning, Mrs. Florence George and John Savan-yak of Aurora.

Ray Dillard and daughter Gayle and Donald and Dorothy Jean Ulrey were in Mendota Sunday.

Don Ambler and Miss Charlotte Town were in Rochelle Sunday.

Presbyterian Church
10:30 a. m.—Sunday school. Lesson subject, "Challenging the Social Order." This is an important study. You should participate in this lesson.

11:30 a. m.—Church worship service. An hour of devotion, with sermon by the pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Town and Mrs. Mabel Worsley, Dr. and Mrs. A. Dickie attended

the annual Ladies' Aid supper at Scarboro last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kelly, Mrs. Orville Henry, Mrs. Harry Town and Mrs. Mabel Worsley were in Earlville last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Taber entertained a few friends at their home last Thursday evening. Games were played and refreshments served.

Dr. S. Fleming took Mrs. Hulda Roessler to Dixon Monday for a medical examination which proved she was suffering from an inward goitre.

Irwin Gallagher and Burnell Donaldson took part in the Golden Gloves tournament at Rockford last Thursday evening. Mr. Donaldson won his bout on a forfeit.

Mrs. Stephen Wojcik entertained several friends at tea on Monday afternoon.

P. T. A. Holds Meeting
The P. T. A. held its regular monthly meeting and program on Monday evening in the high school building with Mrs. Harrison Beemer, president, presiding at the meeting. Following the business portion, a program was presented which consisted of the following numbers: A panel discussion on the American presidents was carried out by Alfred Drummond, Miss Mary Wise, Glen Beemer and Mrs. Lloyd Coleman. A delightful one act play entitled "Washington's First Defeat," was well presented. The play was coached by Miss Maureen Fell. Miss Helen McEwen read a paper prepared by Miss Lois Avery on the White House. Marshall Griffith and his class in music then presented some of the old favorite hymns and folk songs popular with the presidents.

COMPTON NEWS

By Mrs. Mary A. Donagh
Compton—Mr. and Mrs. Roland Richardson and son Hugh spent Saturday at the home of Mrs. Josephine Merriman of Paw Paw.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Burley and daughter and Mrs. Myrtle Burley spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bohart and family at Ashton.

Mrs. Arthur Zimmerman, son Richard, Mrs. William Nickel and Mrs. Elmer Pettit spent Monday afternoon in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Bradshaw, son Charles spent Sunday in Oswego. Mrs. Mae Bradford returned home with them after spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Betz.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. July and daughter Evelyn spent Saturday in LaSalle.

Mr. and Mrs. George Onnen of Dixon were callers in Compton the past week.

Charles Smith of Earlville was calling on friends in Compton Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rheinhold and baby son of Dixon visited Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Rhoads and family.

Willard Pettys, Harold Miller and John Schlesinger were business callers in Moline Saturday.

The interior of the Brooklyn Lutheran church is being redecorated.

Mrs. Maude Christiance of East Moline spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Irwin.

Miss Gladys Erlenbach, Mrs. Lester Erlenbach and baby and Margaret Erlenbach were dinner guests of Mrs. Homer Erlenbach on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Kutter spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. Walter Utz at Peru.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mehlbrech, Mr. and Mrs. George Politich and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mehlbrech and Mr. and Mrs. Levi Mehlbrech were supper guests Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mollin at Ohio.

Mrs. Maude Christiance of East Moline spent Sunday at the Charles Bauer home.

Mrs. Charles July of Peoria spent Thursday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chris July.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kern and son Bobby of Paw Paw and Mr. Utz of Franklin Grove were dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Homer Erlenbach's Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlow Olson were supper guests Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Olson at Rochelle.

Mrs. Charles Bauer, Mrs. Floyd Irwin of Compton and Mrs. Maude Christiance of East Moline spent Saturday at the L. D. Pettinger home at Scarboro.

Paul Walter of Paw Paw was a recent caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Miller, Miss Ruth Nye and Miss Virginia Ogilvie spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schneider at Sandwich.

Miss Daley July spent the week end with friends in Rochelle.

Rodney Eden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Eden of Paw Paw spent a few days at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Pettys.

Lloyd McDougall spent a few days at the home of his parents at Arlington Heights. His father who has been quite ill, is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Walter and son were entertained at supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Walter.

High School Honors
When the grades of the first semester of high school were averaged,

it was found that the following were included in the Honor Group:

Merlyn Buchanan, Bill Davis, Muriel Johnson, Helen Schlesinger, Beatrice Chao, Vivian Cook, Arthur Eddy, Bettie Montavon, George Richardson, Betty Bauer, Norma Johnson, Daisy July and Henrietta Politich.

Two Juniors, four Sophomores and five Freshmen have records of perfect attendance.

Entertained for Birthdays
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Richardson entertained with a birthday dinner Sunday, in honor of Mrs. Richardson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Schuckel. The following were guests: Mr. and Mrs. Emmerson Bennett, Mrs. Bertha Rorick, Mrs. Virgil Vasson of Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. George Schuckel, daughter Della of Compton and Mrs. F. A. Moore and daughters, Catherine and Gertrude.

OREGON

By MRS. A. TILTON
OREGON—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Swanson and sons of Genoa were Sunday visitors of the former's mother, Mrs. Anna Swanson.

Mrs. L. R. Crawford entertained week end guests, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Six of Chicago.

Mrs. George Mix passed the week end in Rockford with her brother, Grover Stroh.

Mrs. J. D. Mead has taken a room at the P. W. Gantz residence moving Monday.

Mrs. Norval Tilton and son of Rochelle spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Rippling.

Mrs. Dorothy Roding employed at DeKalb is home for two weeks.

The Missionary Society of St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet at the parsonage Thursday afternoon.

The Altar and Rosary Society of St. Mary's church will be entertained Thursday afternoon at the Sauer sisters home at two o'clock. Meadames Anna Arnup, John Vrona, Vera Bain and Miss Martha Sauer will be hostesses.

Mrs. John Cordes will entertain ten small girls Thursday afternoon in celebration of the sixth birthday anniversary of her daughter, Jean.

High school Girl Scout troop will be entertained Thursday evening at the home of Kathleen Swingley.

Mrs. Douglas Ross will speak to the girls on the "Art of Make-up."

Mrs. F. R. Zeigler was hostess to her bridge club Wednesday afternoon.

Michael Armstrong, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Armstrong has been ill for several days.

Henry Tice has returned from Dixon hospital where he was under treatment following an operation for sinus trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bass are visited by the former's aunt, Miss Bass of Madison, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mumma, recently wed, were honored at a miscellaneous shower Wednesday night at Black Hawk grange hall. One hundred guests attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stimpert are moving into the W. P. Woodworth residence, vacated by Mrs. J. D. Mead. Mr. Stimpert is salesman for the Allis-Chalmers company.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Siller and children of Mount Morris spent Sunday with Mrs. Siller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Fouch.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Myers announce the birth of a daughter Saturday, Jan. 29 at St. Anthony's hospital in Rockford. Mrs. Myers was the former Margaret Taylor.

Mrs. William Canode will be hostess to the Dorcas society of the Church of God, Thursday afternoon.

A program consisting of two plays will be given at the school building by pupils of the Oregon elementary school, Friday evening, February 4, at 8 o'clock.

"In the Days of Knighthood"
Prologue Shirley Smith
Nurse Lylabell Pryor
Lady Edythe Jean Allen
Roland Roger Brunner
Minstrel Joyce Burright
Lord Robert Billy Bain
Oliver Earl Cline
Francis Amos Blanchard
Gerald Charles Abbott
Richard Richard Dale
Herald William Andrew
Lady Gwendolyn Vera Bollinger

Lady Adeline Luella Bacon
Lady Beatrice Betty Calkins
Archbishop Gerald Corcoran
Court ladies Grace Bent
Bebe Brown, Mary Walters, Lillian Behr.

Peasants—Evelyn Behr, Luella Bacon, Betty Lou Carr, Mary Lou Wright, Helen Coe, Betty Jane Benesh, Gervase Hallman.

Directed by Miss Evelyn Swingley.

"The Courtship of Miles Standish"
Scene I—Standish's house.
Scene II—Priscilla's house.
Scene III—Same as scene I.
Scene IV—Council house.
Scene V—Along the sea shore.
Scene VI—Same as scene II.
Scene VII—Same as scene II.

CAST
Miles Standish Horace Seyster
John Alden Robert Abbott
Priscilla Georgia Gossard
Elder Loren Bradford
Messenger Joe Lewandowski
Indian Gordon Ommen
Pilgrims in Council Glenn Chamberlain, Sidney Hess
Wedding guests Arlene Hanson
Doris Mae Warner

Directed by Miss Gladys Thomas

Walnut News of Today

Telegraph Representative Gathers Items of Interest in Hustling Bureau County Town

By MRS. KIZZIE RIX

Telephone 1391

Two Birthdays Are Honored At Party

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schoff entertained Saturday evening honoring two birthdays. Helen Ganschow and Beulah Peterson were the honored guests. A buffet supper was served at 6:30 and bridge was the evening diversion. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Swanson were given high score. Mrs. Peterson and Mrs. Ganschow received many gifts. The large decorated birthday cake was very attractive. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Swanson, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ganschow, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Sheffler, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lauritzen, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Rudiger, Miss Medora Johnson and Everett Hildebrandt.

ATTEND FUNERAL HERE
Out of town relatives who attended the funeral of the late John Meisenheimer on Monday were Mr.

The sewing classes will sponsor a candy sale after the program. The proceeds to be used for the benefit of the sewing department.

NELSON NEWS

By MRS. M. C. STITZEL
NELSON—Mrs. Albert Bizzari and baby son of Chicago are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Coppitelli for a couple of weeks.

Ed Vantrees went to his former home at Ladysmith, in northern Wisconsin on business for a few days and was snowbound, having to wait for the snow plow to open up the road.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Origlesen and daughter Margaret leave on Thursday for California to visit Mrs. Origlesen's mother, sisters, and brothers, who are located in the vicinity of Los Angeles. They expect to be gone a number of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blasdel, who are spending the remainder of the winter with their son, Lawrence and family at Los Angeles, Cal., write that they are enjoying the trip immensely. The temperature is 82 degrees in marked contrast to our zero weather.

Paul Liggett, who is extra operator on the C. & N. W. Ry had the misfortune to break a bone in his left arm, from a fall on the ice Saturday evening. He is working in the train dispatcher's office in Chicago this week.

The Dixon-Rock Falls road west of Supervisor John Emmitt's home is yet impassable. Motorists detour south and west to reach the road again to Rock Falls.

Illustrious Jurist

HORIZONTAL

1. 6 Famous American judge.
11. Street car.
12. Citrus fruit.
14. Related by blood.
16. Large stringed instrument.
17. Sheaves.
18. Fairy.
19. Kind.
20. Spinning machine.
22. Measure.
23. Northeast.
24. His father was the famous — of the same name.
25. To pierce with a knife.
27. Southeast.
28. Sailor.
29. To weep.
31. To choose by ballot.
33. Mohammedan nymph.
35. To declaim.

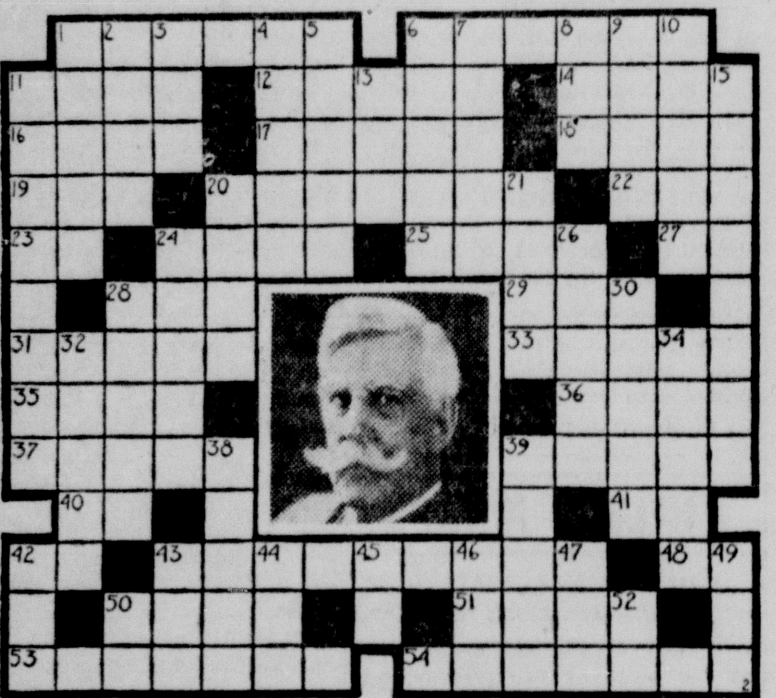
Answer to Previous Puzzle

36. Oak.
37. Opposed to lee.
39. Fragments of wood.
40. Within.
41. Nay.
42. Form of "a."
43. Aristocratic.
48. Musical note.
50. March.
51. Plant shoot.
53. He was justice of the U. S. A.

VERTICAL

1. Pope's scarf.
2. Small bird.
3. Little devil.
4. To run away.
5. To relax.
6. Cornets.
7. Assault.
8. Geographical drawing.
9. Pieces out.

10. Male ancestors.
11. He was a liberal — all his life (pl.).
13. Males.
15. He was in his — when he died.
20. To classify.
21. Reckless.
24. Compacts.
26. Covered stall.
28. Mortise tooth.
30. Engraver's tool.
32. Classical language.
34. To pot again.
38. Theater platform.
39. Linked necklace.
42. Sloths.
43. Nominal value.
44. Male cat.
45. Provided.
46. Frozen water.
47. To bow.
49. Sick.
50. Spain.
52. Compass point.



SIDE GLANCES

By George Clark



"Oh, Dr. Clink—look what happened to that filling you put in last week!"

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



FEBRUARY HAD NO FULL MOON IN 1934, BUT NOT UNTIL 1961 WILL THIS OCCUR AGAIN

OYSTERS OF THE ATLANTIC AND GULF COASTS ARE INDIVIDUAL IN SEX, BUT THOSE OF THE PACIFIC COAST MAY BE BOTH MALE AND FEMALE IN THE SAME OYSTER.



THE GRAY FOX HAS BEEN CLOCKED ON HIGHWAYS AT 26 MILES PER HOUR.

FEBRUARY is the only month that is shorter than the lunar cycle. For this reason, about every six years the month has only three of the four phases. This means, of course, that sometimes February is without a new moon, one of the two quarter phases, or a full moon.

NEXT: The 10-pound killer.

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

A Tip

By MARTIN



MYRA NORTH, SPECIAL NURSE

Jack Is Baffled

By THOMPSON AND COLL



ALLEY OOP

Eeny's Willing

By HAMLIN



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Pouring It On

By BLOSSER



WASH TUBBS

They Left Their Guard Down

By CRANE



OUR BOARDING HOUSE with Major Hoople OUT OUR WAY

By WILLIAMS



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 '31—Plymouth 2-door sedan
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 You'll Buy 'Em
 OSCAR JOHNSON
 Your BUICK Dealer
 Present prices won't last
 1936 Buick Coupe
 1936 Dodge 4-door. Radio.
 1935 Pontiac "8" 2 dr.
 1935 Pontiac "6" 4-dr.
 All Have Heaters
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FOR SALE—1934 DELUXE PLYM-
 outh Sedan with radio, heater,
 new tires. Price \$300.00. Not driv-
 ing much. Excellent condition.
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 2713

Real Estate

FOR SALE—SEVERAL LOTS IN
 west end addition. Size 50x140.
 Buy now before the price ad-
 vances. New school and factories
 are causing prices to go up. Call
 X 1302. 2461f.

FOR SALE—LOT IN THE WEST
 end of Dixon, lot 16, block 11—
 50x140—cheap. For further par-
 ticulars address S. M., care of
 Telegraph. 2161f.

Livestock

GOATS
 3 Milk Goats for sale, two 1-yr-
 old and the other 2 years old. Fed
 on sweet corn fodder. Call 86
 Johnson St., Dixon, Ill. 2713*

FOR SALE—HOLSTEIN BULL
 A few pure bred Sows and Gilts.
 Phone 7220. 2616

FOR SALE—REGISTERED HOL-
 stein Bull large enough for ser-
 vice. Also bull calves, John Torti
 R. F. D. 4, Dixon. Phone 7210. 2613*

FOR SALE—JUST RECEIVED A
 shipment of choice Jersey cows,
 TB and abortion tested, some
 fresh and some springers. Fred
 Wood, Morrison, Ill. 2513*

FOR SALE—GUERNSEY AND
 Holstein cows. Be fresh in a
 week. All kinds of Farm Horses.
 LEO MOORE
 1 mi. West of Dixon on U. S. 30
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FOR SALE

Livestock

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 February 9, Dave Law farm 3
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 Road. Horses, Sows, Machinery
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 Three miles south, one mile east
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 have to sell. Bert O. Vogeler,
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 est down payment, pays principal,
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 tion call 213. 2716

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 6 in x 3 in. \$7.00 Per Ton
 6 in Lump \$7.50 Per Ton
 DISTILLED WATER
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 Phone 388 604 E. River St. 2516

THERE'S PLENTY OF
 WINTER LEFT
 Oil Treated Franklin County
 Lump or Egg \$7.50
 WILBUR LUMBER CO.
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FOR SALE — A SPECIAL FOR
 February—50 engraved informal
 folders with envelopes to match
 and 100 visiting cards. High
 grade material and work. Price
 \$3.25. Call and see samples.
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Hold Everything!



"Good news, John! Wilbur is taking a course in fencing at college!"

Miscellaneous

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 Scores—B. F. Shaw Printing Co.
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FOR RENT — SLEEPING ROOM
 In Modern home. Inquire at
 415 DIXON AVE.
 Phone M1135 231f

Rooms

FOR RENT—PLEASANT SLEEP-
 ing room—421 East First Street.
 Phone R443. 2901f.

Apartments

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 room furnished Apt. Private bath.
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 Depot Ave. 2513

Building

FOR RENT—STORE BUILDING
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Legal Publication

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate George W. Engle, De-
 ceased.

The undersigned, having been
 appointed Executrix of the Estate
 of George W. Engle, Deceased
 hereby gives notice that she will
 appear before the County Court
 of Lee County, at the Court House
 in Dixon, at the April Term, on the
 first Monday in April next, at
 which time all persons having
 claims against said Estate are
 notified to attend for the pur-
 pose of having the same adjusted.
 All persons indebted to said
 Estate are requested to make im-
 mediate payment to the under-
 signed.

Dated this 17th day of January
 A. D. 1938.

Ada Wernick

Executrix.

A. H. Hanneken, Attorney.
 Publish Jan. 19-26-Feb. 2

OBITUARY

MRS. JOHN C. SMITH

(Contributed)

Emma Amelia Smith, the wife of
 John C. Smith, passed away at the
 Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital
 January 20, 1938, having attained
 an age of 47 years, 7 months, and
 24 days.

Mrs. Smith was born at LaSalle,
 Illinois where she grew to woman-
 hood, but for a number of years has
 resided in or near Dixon. One sister
 and her father preceded her in
 death. The surviving members of
 the immediate family are: John C.
 Smith, the companion; one son,
 Harry Smith, one daughter, Mrs.
 Bernice Jensen and little daughter,
 Sarah Lynn, the only grandchild,
 of Rock Falls; one daughter, Agnes
 of Chicago; her mother Ida Anderson,
 who made her home with Mrs.
 Smith; a sister, Mrs. Joe Laidig of
 Dixon; and two brothers Edward
 Anderson of LaSalle, and Norman
 Anderson of Dixon.

Mrs. Smith was a member of the
 Brethren church of Dixon and pres-
 ident of the Bible class, and took an
 active interest in all activities of
 the church, always a willing worker
 and willing to do her part.

The funeral service was conducted
 from the Brethren church by her
 pastor, Rev. William E. Thompson,
 and interment made in the Oak-
 wood cemetery.

State Hospital

By G. E. Phillips

Lawrence "Jerry" Gorman in as-
 sociation with Albert "Not a Drop"
 Linker, Richard "Cardinal" Hoban
 and Donald Grover are contemplating
 it is understood, the organiza-
 tion of the Colony Appraisal Com-
 pany. This company plans an ap-
 praisal service for the benefit of any
 employee having electric irons, elec-
 tric toasters, hot plates, etc., for
 sale. The company it is believed if
 organized, may do a considerable
 business.

The regular weekly dance for pa-
 tients was held at the amusement
 hall Monday evening under the
 sponsorship of the recreation de-
 partment. Music as usual was fur-
 nished by the hospital orchestra.

"Fire Prevention" was the subject
 discussed at yesterday's regular ses-
 sion of the attendants' school. Fire
 Chief Joseph Liwald was instruct-
 or. As usual because of the number
 attending, the class was divided into
 two sections.

The regular weekly motion pic-
 ture performance for the benefit of
 the patients is scheduled for this
 evening in the amusement hall un-
 der the sponsorship of the recrea-
 tion department. A feature and a
 rollicking comedy will make up the
 program.

Mrs. H. S. Vaughn acting head
 of the recreation department has
 been off duty Monday and Tuesday
 by reason of illness in her im-
 mediate family.

J. Henry Wilson had a surprise
 and very welcome visit from his son
 and little granddaughter Dolores
 Saturday and Sunday.

We learn that it is planned to is-
 sue "The Cottage Visitor" the read-
 able hospital paper be-monthly in-
 stead of quarterly as at present.
 The change is scheduled for an
 early date. Certain changes in the
 typography of the paper are con-
 templated.

Joseph Peluso in charge of the so-
 lution of the mystery of the disap-
 pearance of Charlie Moyer's three
 white coats said last night that he
 had no statement to make but was
 confident of an early solution of the
 mystery.

PREPAYMENT COUPONS

BOOST TAX COLLECTIONS

Regina, Sask.—(AP)—Tax pre-
 payment coupons, used by Regina's
 civic government, are described by
 tax officials as an efficient and
 popular collection scheme.

"People are beginning to realize
 the advantage of including their
 tax payments in their monthly
 budgets," says L. G. Geernaert,
 tax collector. "Making provision
 each month for a part of the year's
 taxes is a much easier way of meet-
 ing them than waiting to the end
 of the year."

As another collection aid, a Re-
 gina official personally interviews
 owners of all business blocks and
 rented buildings upon which taxes
 are in arrears.

Richest Girl in the World

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CHAPTER XXV

"TO give away your millions!"

Bret looked at her now, re-
 peating what she had told him.
 There was incredulity in his dark
 eyes, amazement.

"Yes," Connie met his dark look
 squarely, unflinchingly. "I have a
 plan worked out; nearly com-
 pleted. It is what I want to do.
 The only thing that will make me
 happy. I had hoped that you
 would help me, Bret."

He did not answer. She sup-
 posed he still did not believe her.
 He thought that this, too, was
 some wild impulse.

"I have thought it out as care-
 fully as I could," Connie con-
 tinued. "As wisely, I hope. The
 money will be divided into vari-
 ous trusts and foundations. Some
 for colleges; one here, in this
 country for these mountain peo-
 ple; some for hospitals. I thought
 I would like to build churches,
 like this one"—her eyes went to
 the tall thin steeple of the little
 white church that glistened in the
 last rays of the setting sun—"in
 rural districts. Then there could
 be health clinics for all those
 oppressed and in need. And a
 laboratory to study and fight the
 diseases that are the root and
 cause. Oh, there's so much we
 can do with this money; a whole
 lifetime of working and planning
 and building together. . . ."

"Together? Did you say 'to-
 gether?'" Bret spoke for the first
 time.

"That was what I hoped, Bret.
 What I still want. Though, if you
 can't, if you won't, I shall go on
 with the plan, alone."

"It is a wonderful plan," he said
 slowly. "A beautiful plan. But
 are you sure you mean it, sure you
 won't regret it?"

"I told you that Constance
 Corby is dead!" she cried, im-
 patiently. "What more could she
 say, what more could she offer?
 She had given him all that she
 had, not only in worldly pos-
 sessions, but her heart, the self that
 was truly she. If he could not be-
 lieve in that, accept it. . . ."

"I am as sure," she said, "as
 I am that we are standing here,
 together, Bret—on the top of our
 hill. As sure," her voice faltered,

but she must go on, though he
 might not wish to hear it, she
 must be as brave as she had told
 Rodney she would try to be—"as
 sure as that. . . . I know I love
 you."

"But you told me that you loved
 Rodney Brandon? Only so short a
 time ago."

HOW could he be so stern, so
 cruel? Her love, then, meant
 nothing to him. Yet she was not
 ashamed of it, not sorry she had
 laid her heart at his feet. She
 was glad and proud that she loved
 this man before her.

"It was a lie. Said to hurt you.
 A pretense, like all the rest of
 my life. The part before I ran
 away and met you and really
 came to life in these hills. The
 part when I returned and pre-
 tended to be the richest girl in the
 world, again. Yes, and the most
 spoiled, most selfish, most un-
 thinking. That girl was never
 really I. Can't you see, Bret, I
 would not have run away from
 her, seeking something, if I really
 had been that girl in my heart?
 I could not have lost that same
 heart to you, found the only hap-
 piness I ever knew, living the
 good life, the simple life with you
 beside me. I would not be offer-
 ing you all that I have, all that
 I am—if what I say were not
 true. But as I've told you, I've
 grown up. I'm through pretend-
 ing. I shan't change again, Bret,
 though you won't forgive or be-
 lieve in me."

He did not say anything for a
 moment; then he turned toward
 her, and now his eyes looked into
 hers, deeply, searchingly, as only
 Bret's eyes could, causing her
 knees to go weak beneath her, her
 heart to hammer painfully.
 "I told you," he said, "that I
 had something to tell you—that
 night, when you said you were
 going away—I wanted to tell you
 that I was going away; to ask you
 to go with me. I had secured a
 new contract to build a road,
 further west than this, but in
 country not unlike this, either. I
 wanted to ask you to build a new
 life with me, to make our home,
 have our children. . . ."

"Oh, Bret!" She held out her

hands to him in a pleading mo-
 tion. "Why didn't you ask me
 then? Why didn't you make me
 go? Why didn't you tell me?"

"You told me that you loved
 Rodney Brandon. That was the
 only thing that made me agree to
 set you free. Love can't be
 chained, you know. Nor purchased
 at any price. Besides, I loved you
 too much to hold you, if you did
 not care for me."

"YOU loved me too much. . . ."
 But now — was that love
 dead, hopeless? It must be or he
 would have told her. She put her
 hands before her eyes, turning
 away her head. She must not let
 him see how much he hurt her.
 She had only herself to blame, if
 she had killed his love. She
 should be the one to suffer.

"Yes," Bret said. "I loved you
 too much. More than myself, more
 than life. I still love you—in that
 same way — as I always shall
 Connie. . . . Look at me! It isn't
 much that I have to offer, only
 my love, but if it's enough—I'll
 give it all to you. In exchange,
 darling, for your wonderful plan.
 Which we will carry out, to-
 gether."

She took her hands from her
 face, looked at him as though she
 could not believe what he had
 just told her. Such a flood of joy
 swept through her, such unbelieve-
 able ecstasy that she wondered if
 she dared believe him.

"It won't be easy," Bret went
 on. "To carry out this plan or
 to make our marriage over. We
 will have to work at it. We will
 have to make it endure forever
 and ever. Not a small task, any
 of this that lies before us. But
 we can do it, I'm sure of that.
 Not alone, sweetheart, but as
 husband and wife. We can begin
 again—together."

"That is enough," Connie said.
 "Much more than enough. Why,
 don't you know," her laughter
 rang out on the fragrant night
 that now enveloped them, her eyes
 looking into his were unafraid,
 her sweet face radiant, "now I am
 the richest girl in all the world,
 Bret darling!"

He took her in his arms, then
 his lips met hers in a kiss that
 was solemn, yet infinitely tender.
 He said, "And I am the richest
 man, dear heart."

(The End)

Equal Rights To Women Coming Up For Vote Feb. 14

Washington, Feb. 2.—(AP)—The
 Senate judiciary committee will
 vote on St. Valentine's Day on a
 proposed constitutional amend-
 ment to give "equal rights" to
 women.

Chairman Burke (D-Neb) said
 a subcommittee would open hear-
 ings next Monday on the proposal
 which is opposed by the American
 Federation of Labor on the grounds
 that it would upset existing wage
 laws for women.

Senator Borah (R-Ida) said the
 national council of Catholic women
 also was opposed and had asked
 for hearings.

Likewise, Senator Connally
 (D-Tex) said the national league
 of women voters had notified him
 it wished to protest.

The amendment, simple in text,
 reads:

"Men and women shall have
 equal rights throughout the United
 States and every place subject to
 its jurisdiction. Congress shall
 have power to enforce this article
 by appropriate legislation."

It was introduced by Burke.

Three Families Bidding To Adopt Beaten Small Girl

West New York, N. J., Feb. 2.—
 (AP)—Three families bid to adopt
 a battered and scalded 2½-year-
 old girl who police charged was
 beaten by a 205-pound housewife
 in whose care the child's unwed
 mother left her.

The mother, a domestic working
 in Connecticut, has heard of what
 happened to the baby she thought
 was in good hands and has sent
 word to the police court that she
 wants her back.

Her body covered with welts,
 part of her hair torn out, lower
 lip cut and nose flattened, face
 battered and her right side scalded,
 the blond tot—listed on hospital
 records as "Anna (Wideman)"—
 smiled more today as the pain of
 her hurts gradually lessened.

Police arrested Mrs. Helen Hur-
 banis, 36, on a charge of beating
 her. Held in \$5,000 bail for grand
 jury action on a charge of atroc-
 ious assault and battery, the
 woman was removed from the local
 jail to the Hudson county jail in
 Jersey City.

AROUND THE COURT HOUSE

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 et hus. QCD \$5 Pt. Sec. 16, Amboy
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Myrtle E. Zorn et hus. to Joseph
 D. Carr, QCD \$5 same as above.

Joseph Kaufman et ux to Edwin
 Leake WD \$1 Pt. Lts 2, 3, 4, Bk. 4,
 Compton's Ad Compton.

Edwina Leake to Joseph Kauf-
 man et ux \$1 same as above.

Grace Schneider et al to Ella N.
 Herbert QCD \$1 Lt. 3, Bk. 1, Na-
 chusa Tp.

Nellie Hill Moyle et al to Mary E.
 Hill QCD \$1, Pt. Lt. 4, Bk. 41, West
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TONIGHT

6:00 Amos 'n' Andy—WMO
Easy Aces—WENR

6:15 Uncle Ezra—WMAQ
Tracer of Lost Persons—
WENR

6:30 Lum and Abner—WENR

6:45 Boake Carter—WBBM
Cheer up America—WMAQ

7:00 One Man's Family—WMAQ
Cavalcade—WBBM
Ray Shields Revue—WLS

7:30 Eddie Cantor—WBBM
Tommy Dorsey—WMAQ
Lone Ranger—WGN
Harriet Parsons—WLS

8:00 Town Hall Tonight—WMAQ
Andre Kostelanetz—WBBM

8:30 Ben Bernie—WBBM

9:00 Hollywood Parade—WMAQ
Gang Busters—WBBM
Gen. Hugh Johnson—WENR

9:30 Hobby Lobby—WBBM
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erators committed under Sheriff
Middleton in Harland County, the
Governor refused to oust Middle-
ton.

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10:00 Amos 'n' Andy—WMAQ
Poetic Melodies—WBBM

10:15 Louis Panico—WENR

SHORT WAVE PROGRAM
For Wednesday

Morning

7:55 Jack Wilson's versatile five—
GSF

10:40 "World Affairs", H. Wick-
ham Stead—GSF GSG

Afternoon

3:00 W. H. Berry as "Mr. Micaw-
ber"—GSP

3:15 BBC Symphony Concert; the
BBC Symphony Orchestra,
conducted by Sir Hamilton
Harty—GSG GSP

4:40 Police Open Boxing Cham-
pionships—GSG GSB

Evening

6:20 "The House in the Country"—
GSB

7:30 Don Mariani, tangos—YV5-
RC

8:00 Rosita Jemma Wade—2RO3

8:45 "For the Short Wave Listen-
er"—WIXAL (6.04)

10:45 Vest-pocket vaudeville—GSG
GSD

THURSDAY

Morning

7:00 Musical Clock—WBBM

8:00 Breakfast Club—WCFL

8:30 Dan of Life—WBBM

8:45 Dan Harding's Wife—WMAQ
Illinois League of Women
Voters—WJJD

9:00 Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage
Patch—WMAQ
Pretty Kitty Kelly—WBBM
Margot of Castledown—WLS

9:15 Myrt and Marge—WBBM
Cabin at the Crossroads—
WLS

John's Other Wife—WMAQ

9:30 Just Plain Bill—WMAQ
Attorney at Law—WLS

Emily Post—WBBM

9:45 The Woman in White—
WMAQ

10:00 David Harum—WMAQ
Story of Mary Marlin—WLS
Mary Lee Taylor—WBBM

10:15 Romance of Carol Kennedy—
WBBM
Backstage Wife—WMAQ
Bachelor's Children—WGN
Pepper Young's Family—
WLS

Josh Higgins—WCFL

10:30 Big Sister—WBBM
Vic and Sade—WLS
The Homemakers Exchange—
WMAQ

10:45 The Goldbergs—WLW
Real Life Stories—WBBM

11:00 Mary Margaret McBride—
WBBM
Girl Alone—WMAQ

11:15 The O'Neills—WMAQ
News Parade—WBBM

11:30 Romance of Helen Trent—
WBBM
Farm and Home Hour—
WMAQ

11:45 Our Gal Sunday—WBBM
Three Romances—WCFL

Afternoon

12:00 Dinner Bell—WLS

Betty and Bob—WBBM

12:30 Words and Music—WMAQ

Arnold Grimm's Daughter—
WBBM

12:45 Hollywood in Person—WBBM
Voice of Experience—WCFL

1:00 Music Guild—WMAQ

1:15 Let's Talk it Over—WMAQ
The O'Neills—WBBM

1:30 News—WMAQ
School of the Air—WBBM
Lucky Girl—WGN

1:45 Quartet—WMAQ
Beatrice Fairfax—WGN

2:00 Pepper Young's Family—
WMAQ
Varieties—WOC

2:15 Ma Perkins—WMAQ

2:30 Vic and Sade—WMAQ
Army Band—WOC

2:45 The Guiding Light—WMAQ

3:00 Science Service Series—WOC
Lorenzo Jones—WMAQ
Club Matinee—WENR

3:15 The Story of Mary Marlin—
WMAQ

3:30 The Goldbergs—WBBM
Gen. Fed. Women's Clubs—
WCFL

3:45 The Road of Life—WMAQ

4:00 Follow the Moon—WBBM

4:15 Life of Mary Sothern—
WBBM

4:30 Harry Kogen—WMAQ
Step Mother—WBBM

4:45 Hilltop House—WBBM

5:00 Dick Tracy—WMAQ

5:45 Lowell Thomas—WLW
Straight Shooters—WMAQ

Evening

6:00 Amos 'n' Andy—WLW, WHO
Easy Aces—WENR

6:15 Varieties—WMAQ
Tracer of Lost Persons—
WENR

Screen Scoops—WBBM

6:30 News—WMAQ
We the People—WBBM

6:45 Rube Appleberry—WGN

7:00 Rudy Vallee—WMAQ
Kate Smith—WBBM
March of Time—WLS

8:00 Good News of 1938—WMAQ
Major Bowes Amateur Hour—
WBBM

8:30 Town Meeting—WENR

9:00 Music Hall—WMAQ

9:30 Ambrose—WENR

10:00 Amos 'n' Andy—WMAQ
Poetic Melodies—WBBM

SHORT WAVE PROGRAM
For Thursday

Morning

7:15 Norbert Wethmar trio—GSG
GSG GSG

7:30 "At the Black Dog"—GSG
GSG GSG

9:00 Harry Engleman's quintet—
GSF GSG

9:20 "Music in Paradise", Ken
Kopartsky—PHI

11:35 Recital of Welsh songs and
Duets—GSG GSG

Afternoon

1:20 BBC Empire orchestra—GSG
GSD

2:00 All Kinds of People—GSG
GSG

3:30 The Way of Peace—GSG GSG

4:35 Northern Music Hall—GSG
GSD

Evening

6:15 Rendezvous at a Masked
Ball—DJB

7:15 Geber Hernandez' Orchestra—
YV5RC

7:45 Selections from operas—
2RO3

8:15 "Modern Italy", John Pu-
gliese—2RO3

9:35 Yvonne de Breigny, Canadi-
an pianist—GSG GSG GSG

9:45 "Piccadilly", the history of
Piccadilly—GSG GSG GSG

10:00 Canadian hour—HH2S

NO VERDICT REACHED

Waukegan (AP)—After deliber-
ating nine hours, a Circuit court
jury was discharged last night af-
ter it failed to reach a verdict in
the trial of Harry Momborg, 26,
of Rockford, on a charge of man-
slaughter.

Momborg's automobile figured in
an accident Thanksgiving Day in
which Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Orst of
Highland Park were fatally injur-
ed.

Fish are "fry" until they reach
a length of one inch.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY by Baer



"It looks as though I'll have to sell him through a
Telegraph classified ad. He awakens me every time my
daughter tries to elope!"

Polo Affairs of Today

**News Items Reported by Telegraph Corre-
spondent, Mrs. Maude Reed, 510 So.
Franklin, Phone 59-Y**

LITERARY CLUB MEETS

The Wednesday Literary club met
with Mrs. Ina Hostetter at 605 East
Mason street Wednesday after-
noon. The program "Early Irish
Literature," was given by Mrs.
Owen Ralston and "Ireland and the
Irish" by Mrs. Ina Hostetter.

WOULD-BE TOURIST CLUB

The Would-Be Tourist club met
with Mrs. Elizabeth Rowland to-
day. "Program Critic," by Mrs.
Maggie Wilson, "Interesting Places
in the Southland" by Mrs. Dora
Wilson, and "No Tourist Vacation
for the French" and "Devil's Is-
land," by Mrs. Pauline Puterbaugh.

WHO AND WHERE

James Mayborn sold his prop-
erty at 350 North Franklin street to
Thomas K. Schell recently. Mr.
Mayborn plans to have a sale and
sell his household goods in the
near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo McMullen of
Mt. Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne
Mayborn of Polo enjoyed a theater
party at Rockford Sunday evening.

Harry Gilbert returned home
from the hospital at Freeport Mon-
day and at this writing is improving
rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Navel Shoaf moved
from the Jennie Case apartment to
the upstairs of Mr. and Mrs. Lester
Dickey at 108 South Congress street,
recently.

Thimble club members were enter-
tained at the home of Mrs. Kramer
Binkley. At noon a luncheon was
enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Schell were

in Sterling Sunday afternoon to at-
tend a musical concert at which
their daughter Wilma presided.

Catherine Stauffer went to Rock-
ford Sunday to spend a week visit-
ing Mr. and Mrs. George Becken-
baugh.

Miss Annette Bassman of Chicago
arrived last Wednesday to spend
several days with her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Max Bassman. Miss Bas-
man attends the Metropolitan Busi-
ness college in Chicago.

Card Club No. 5 of the W. R. C.
will gather at the hall for an eve-
ning of cards. This circle entertains
the husbands and wives together.
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Beard are
host and hostess for tonight.

Mrs. A. G. Coursey of Chicago
spent the weekend at home.

Axel Olsen is planning to attend
a feed dealers banquet at Dixon
tonight.

Mrs. Joe Enzler and Mrs. George
Galor were Dixon shoppers Tues-
day.

Mrs. Catherine Paap was a shop-
per in Dixon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Sweet were
supper guests Sunday evening at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry
Nuppenau near Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Incontro were
in Chicago Saturday and returned
home Sunday.

Martin Coffey recently returned
from an extended trip to Califor-
nia.

SOLDIERS INDICTED

Chicago (AP)—Two army priv-
ates, Richard Boehler, Jr., 25, and
Matthew J. Douglas, 23, who desert-
ed Fort Sheridan Thanksgiving
Day, have been indicted on robbery
charges in criminal court. Deputy
Chief of Detectives Walter Storms
said they confessed 200 robberies
which netted them \$40,000.

A "jumping bean" is not a bean
at all. It is one of the three divi-
sions of the fruit of spurge, a
Mexican plant.

BITTER PRIMARY
IS SEEN; HORNER
VS. COOK COUNTYHornerites to Nominate
Congressman Lucas for
Senatorship

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 2.—(AP)—
Horner Democrats entered Con-
gressman Scott W. Lucas in the
three-way senatorial race today as
the majority party's factions lined
up for another wide-open primary.

Already having vetoed renomina-
tion for Senator William H. Dieter-
ich, the governor's downstate hench-
men rejected Michael L. Igoe of
Chicago as a compromise and ar-
ranged to back a full slate in sup-
port of Lucas, who promised to
"follow closely in the footsteps of
Henry Horner."

Supporting Lucas are Speaker
Louie E. Lewis of Christopher as a
candidate for state treasurer, and
Adam F. Bloch of Chicago for a
second term as clerk of the supreme
court.

While the governor disavowed
"bossism," downstate county chair-
men and state committeemen en-
dorsed the Lucas-Lewis-Bloch ticket
yesterday. They had waited for
months to learn whom the state ad-
ministration favored. Horner in-
sisted he had nothing to do with
the choice of the secret meeting,
which was called by his campaign
manager, F. Lynden Smith.

To Ask Igoe to Run

With 50,000 downstate signatures
on petitions, Thomas P. Sinnett of
Rock Island said he would go to
Chicago tomorrow to ask Igoe, fed-
eral prosecutor, to enter the sena-
torial race.

"The only man in Illinois on
whom both party leaders and the
Democratic voters could harmoni-
ously agree is Michael L. Igoe,"
Sinnett declared.

Democratic observers anticipated
that the Kelly-Nash Chicago or-
ganization, long at odds with the
governor, would enter a complete
ticket against the Horner slate. The
Chicagoans were expected to en-
dorse Igoe for the Senate.

Lucas, a former state Legion com-
mander who has been in Congress
since Henry T. Rainey died in
1934, was defeated in the 1932 pri-
mary by Dieterich who has an an-
nounced for a second term as a
supporter of President Roosevelt.

Horner Praises Bloch

Lewis, the labor-backed speaker,
was picked by the Horner support-
ers after he had been considered
with Lucas and John E. Cassidy
of Peoria for the senatorship.

The governor said Bloch is "the
best clerk the supreme court ever
had."

His endorsement came as the
Chicago faction dropped an-
other Polish leader, County Judge
Edmund K. Jarecki, from the met-
ropolitan slate.

What the Horner men might do
about a man-to-man battle clear
down the primary ticket in Cook
county wasn't disclosed.

Completion of the rest of the
downstate ticket was left to a steer-
ing committee of 28, headed by
Smith, which adjourned subject to
call.

Smith's committee had under con-
sideration several names for super-
intendent of public instruction, the
job now held by John A. Wieland
of Calumet City. That led to be-

Brain Twizzlers

By
PROF. J. D. FLINT

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| TA | TK | HH | RL | RE |
| RN | RT | RC | TR | HK |
| TE | HR | RS | RH | TL |
| RK | TN | TT | HE | RA |
| HT | HC | RR | TS | TH |

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Some Twizzler says long time no
see magic square so we now have
a toupee-raising combination of
magic numbers, secret codes and
scrambled gray matter. In this lit-
tle gem the numbers to occupy the
square are twenty-one to forty-five,
inclusive. Each row, horizontal, vertical and the diag-
onals add to one hundred and
sixty-five.

The letters which represent the
digits, one through nine, do not
form a word.

Now, if you gather yourself to-
gether, you should find this in-
formation ample to give yourself
a very rough hour but one with a
satisfactory conclusion.

Answer to Yesterday's Twizzler

1. A man can't marry his widow's
sister because he is dead. 2. A man
might have married his widow's
sister if his wife died and he then
married her sister and died him-
self, leaving a widow and having
been first married to her sister.
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lier that, when final lineups are
completed, Wieland might be align-
ed with the Chicagoans again.

Accident Claims
Against CCC Await
Senate Approval

Washington (AP)—A bill to pay
\$12,668 in claims as a result of a
collision between a civilian conser-
vation corps trucks and an automo-
bile Aug. 24, 1935, near Hinsdale,
Du Page county, Ill., awaited ap-
proval of the Senate today.

Beneficiaries would be: Eva C.
Netzley, Naperville, Ill., \$1,000; the
estate of Clyde C. Netzley, Nap-
erville, \$5,000; William G. Stuff, Mer-
cersburg, Pa., \$1,000; William C.
Stuff, administrator of estate of
Sarah C. Stuff, Mercersburg, \$2,000;
Lois Stuff, Mercersburg, \$3,500,
and Harry E. Ridley, Naperville,
\$168.

TO ENTER PRIMARY

Jacksonville (AP)—Former
County Judge James M. Barnes,
long an active figure in Democratic
politics in the 20th congressional
district, announced last night he
would enter the April primary as a
Democratic candidate to succeed
Congressman Scott W. Lucas of
Havana, who was chosen as the
Horner candidate for United States
Senator. Barnes served two terms
in the Morgan county court.

Moving in the proper lane of
traffic expedites traffic and assures
a greater degree of safety.

GROCERY PRICES
LOWEST IN MORE
THAN 18 MONTHSMeat Leading Decline
That Has Occurred
Since September

Chicago, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Gro-
cery basket costs have dropped since
autumn to the lowest point in more
than 18 months from the highest
level in six years, a survey of food
prices in wholesale and retail mar-
kets showed today.

Meat prices led the decline, but
most vegetables, fruits and dinner
table staples such as sugar, po-
tatoes, eggs, butter and lard also
are lower.

Wholesale prices in Chicago, the
nation's principal farm produce
marketing center, are considered
indicative of market quotations in
most sections of the country.

Since September, wholesale meat
prices have taken one of their
sharpest drops on record, with de-
clines of nine to 50 per cent all
through the list of cuts offered
from packing houses.

Other Price Losses

Other important food items have
experienced similar price losses.
Wholesale butter, for example, is
16 percent below the December
peak; eggs are off 52 per cent from
November highs; potatoes have
dropped 50 per cent since summer;
lard is down 43 per cent from the
1937 high; flour is off 12 to 20 per
cent from levels last May, and
major grains have dropped 33 to
56 per cent.

Increased production and larger

Capone Henchman
Hard Pressed To
Save His Estate

Waukegan, Ill., Feb. 2.—(AP)—
Terry Druggan, whom the govern-
ment once accused of operating
seven breweries for Al Capone dur-
ing the prohibition days, must raise
\$29,745.76 before Friday night if he
wants to save his 240-acre estate
near Lake Zurich.

Circuit Judge Ralph J. Dady yes-
terday signed a decree making final
a foreclosure of the property, which
Druggan bought in 1923 for \$80,000,
but granted a three-day period of
grace. If the money is not raised in
that time, the estate will be sold
at auction.

Trustees of the estate claim Drug-
gan defaulted on his payments, and
that under the contract they were
entitled to the property.

It costs between \$100,000 and
\$130,000 to build a railroad loco-
motive.

supplies of some food items were
responsible for price declines to
some extent, market observers
said, but an important factor has
been reduced consumer buying
power reflecting general business
conditions.

In addition, they said, consum-
ers have at various times resisted
high prices of certain foods by
turning to substitutes.

DANGEROUS

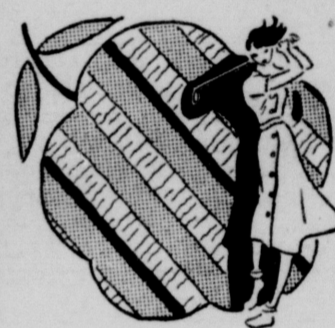
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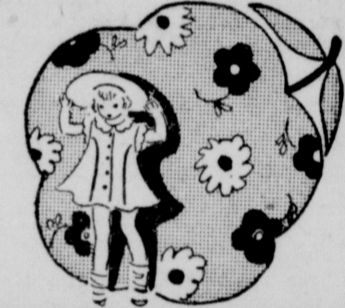
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